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"POLICY OF ISOLATION A POLICY OF FOLLY"

Britain's Commitments in the European Tangle

SARRAUT PASSES THE TEST

Chamber's Vote Of Confidence

Paris, Nov. 4.

M. Sarraut had a welcome reception from the Chamber to-night when he submitted his statement of policy.

A vote of confidence in the new Government was passed by 320 votes to 32.
—*Reuter.*

SPANISH GAOL ESCAPE

MILLIONAIRE'S GETAWAY

MAY LOSE £7,000,000 ESTATE

Madrid, Nov. 4.

A sensation has been provoked by the escape from prison of the millionaire Monarchist, Don Juan March.

Don Juan March has been awaiting trial for over eighteen months on vague charges, having been kept in prison the whole time.

Yesterday he got out of gaol, crossed the frontier unrecognised and arrived in Gibraltar safely.

It is alleged that the whole of the prison staff was bribed in order to secure his escape and that the Governor of the prison himself opened the gates for the fugitive.

March's warder fled with him in a motor-car.

It is stated that the Spanish Government may now confiscate Don March's property, which is mainly in Majorca, and is valued at £7,500,000.—*Reuter.*

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LATEST DONATIONS TO BUILDING FUND

The following further contributions to the Cheer O Club Building Funds have been received:

Proceeds of show at King's Theatre on 27th. Oct., ...	$700.40
Staff, Colonial Secretariat	40
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H. R. W.	10
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STOP PRESS

Paris, Nov. 4.

The vote of confidence in M. Sarraut followed an eloquent speech.

"Franco is my religion. I love my country fiercely because I have seen it not only at home but from elsewhere, because it grows greater the farther one is away from it."

He appealed for the help of the Republicans and said that the Government's financial ideas will be submitted in a few days. "Then we shall fight it out. The Government will die if it must."

There were 250 abstentions from voting, including the Right and the Socialists.—*Reuter.*

NO BETRAYAL OF LOCARNO PACT

ADHERENCE TO PLEDGES ONCE AGAIN AFFIRMED

CAPTAIN EDEN'S REPLY TO CRITICS

London, Nov. 3.

Britain is still a great Power and has the responsibilities of a great power. If we fear to discharge those responsibilities we shall invite the disaster which will follow.

A policy of isolation to-day is a policy of folly. With the development of air power, England has ceased to be an island. Even if we would go back upon our word we cannot. But of course there is no question of our doing so.

As Mr. Baldwin said recently "What Britain has signed she will adhere to. She adhered to her signature with regard to Belgium. Her signature to the Locarno agreements is sacred."

In these solemn words, Captain Anthony Eden, Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, again made plain the attitude of Great Britain in the event of a European conflict, during a speech at Skipton to-night.

GUARANTEES OF THE STATUS QUO

Captain Eden discussed at considerable length, the European situation and Britain's obligations.

It was not surprising, he said, that Germany's withdrawal from the Disarmament Conference and the League had caused some concern and a measure of unease in Europe.

But there was no occasion for scare-mongering. The situation could, without a doubt be redeemed.

To do so, we must keep our heads and our engagement, said Captain Eden.

He proceeded to defend against certain criticisms of the Locarno agreement which he described as one of most effective instruments for peace in Western Europe.

MUTUAL GUARANTEE.

"Main instrument in that settlement," he said, "is a treaty of mutual guarantee. This is not an alliance of Britain and France against Germany—far from it. It is a conclusive agreement to which Germany, Belgium, France, Great Britain are all parties.

The arrangements made are purely defensive and supplementary to the League Covenant. They do not constitute in any sense an alliance between certain powers directed against other powers."

STATUS QUO.

By this treaty of mutual agreement and guarantee, the signatory powers, severally and collectively, guaranteed, the territorial status quo resulting from the frontier between Germany and Belgium and Germany and France, the inviolability of those frontiers and the demilitarisation of the Rhineland.

The treaty is inter-woven with the machinery of the League.

With one exception the decisions to be taken under it must be taken by the Council of League. The Council can take no decision except it be unanimous.

Since Great Britain is a permanent member of the Council it is clear therefore that no decision can be taken without our assent.

ONE EXCEPTION.

The only exception to this governing condition is that in the event of flagrant violation of the undertaking not to go to war or of the demilitarisation of the Rhineland Zone by one of the parties, we are bound immediately to go to the help of the injured party, if we are satisfied that the violation constitutes an unprovoked act of aggression and that immediate action is necessary.

"But we are the sole judge as to whether this obligation has become applicable."

The Treaty of Locarno, Captain Eden pointed out, contained no provision under which any of the parties could withdraw from it.

Some critics had suggested that if such a course were possible, Britain would be less likely to be involved in any European war. The very opposite was the truth. by saying that in no circumstances shall we go to the aid of powers

"We shall not avoid another war unjustly attacked."

NEW ITALLIAN MINISTER

PASSES THROUGH HONGKONG

The newly appointed Italian minister to China, H. E. Comm. Rafaele Bocasrelli, arrived at Hongkong this morning by the Conti Verde and spent a few hours touring the Island before the ship proceeded to Shanghai.

Accompanied by the Consul General, Comm. A. D. Bianconi, and the Right Rev. Bishop Henry Valtorta, His Excellency gained a favourable impression of the Colony which he was visiting for the first time.

"I like Hongkong very much and should like to come here again," he said.

On the questions that will face him when he arrives at Shanghai he was very reticent stating that it was difficult to make any statement at this point on his attitude and policy towards Manchuria and Japan.

MINISTER'S CAREER.

Comm. Bocasrelli has been transferred to this country from Havana where he had been residing since 1930 as Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the Republics of Cuba, Haiti and Santodomingo.

Born in Bisignano in South Italy from an ancient family, in 1885, he graduated from the University of Rome in 1908, joining

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Photo taken after the wedding yesterday of Mr. F. H. Dod, chief engineer of the Manila Railway, and one of the oldest British residents in the Philippines, and Miss M. Hope Brown, who recently arrived from England. (Photo: Ming Yuen).

THE TOLL OF THE ROADS

Counter-Measures In London

London, Nov. 3.

As the result of a new order which took effect today, London motor police patrols will exercise increased vigilance on motor drivers vigilance on motor drivers lack of consideration on the roads. The purpose of the orders is to reduce traffic accidents by warning or summoning motorists whose driving makes them liable to become definitely dangerous.—*British Wireless.*

COURAGEOUS GROUNDING

CAPTAIN SEVERELY REPRIMANDED

London, Nov. 3.

There was a further sequel today to the stranding of the aircraft-carrier, H.M.S. Courageous, when Captain Brian Egerton, commanding officer of the Courageous, was sentenced to be severely reprimanded at a Court Martial for "negligently or by default stranding or hazarding his ship."

On the previous day Lieutenant-Commander G. F. Dixon was sentenced to be severely reprimanded and dismissed his ship on the same charge.—*Reuter.*

TREASURY BILLS

ALLOTMENT MADE OF £45,000,000

London, Nov. 3.

The total of £77,280,000 was applied for in Treasury bills weekly tenders.

The amount allotted in Treasury bills at three months was £45,000,000.

The average rate per cent. was 17/7.57d as compared with 16/5.29d last week.—*British Wireless.*

It is notified that firing from forts will take place on November 7 at 9.30 a.m. from Mount Davis in the direction of West Lamma Channel, on November 8 from Stonecutters south of Kap Sing Mun and north of Kau-li-Chau, and on November 10 at 6 p.m. from Stonecutters in the same direction.

VIOLENCE FLARES UP IN IOWA

MEN BEATEN UP; CREAMERIES DYNAMITE

FARMERS ARMING WITH TEAR-GAS BOMBS

NEW YORK, NOV. 3.

VIOLENCE HAS FLARED UP IN THE FARM STRIKE AND WARNING OF FURTHER TROUBLE HAS BEEN SENT TO PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT, HINTING THAT SERIOUS DEVELOPMENTS MAY BE EXPECTED UNLESS AN IMMEDIATE EFFORT IS MADE TO BOOST FARM PRICES.

The centre of the present trouble is Woodbury County, Iowa.

Here two men were severely beaten by pickets and several shots were fired in incidents between farmers and the authorities.

Two creameries at Shawano, in Wisconsin, were wrecked to-day by dynamite explosions. The dynamite is believed to have been placed in the creameries by farmer pickets who are trying to prevent the marketing of milk.

A big meeting of the Farm Holiday Association was held to-day at Madison, Wisconsin.

Five hundred farmers from all the district round attended and voted solidly for the continuation of the strike, despite the announcement from Washington that a tentative plan had been devised for alleviating the position of the farmers.

Warning of serious possibilities in the situation was sent to President Roosevelt by Mr. Francis Shoemaker, the Congressman for Redwing, Minnesota.

He declared that the farmers are organising into military units, and are arming themselves with tear gas bombs.

He urges measures for the immediate raising of farm prices as necessary if the country desires to avoid serious trouble.—*Reuter.*

NEED FOR OPPOSITION.

"The President hasn't yet felt the regulating influence of an opposition and many of his best friends feel that this has not been a good thing," says the *New York Times*, the Democratic organ. The period for unconditional, tacit approval of all acts of the Administration is over, the paper declares.

The nation feels that "the administration needs an opposition." Until now, "the least expression of criticism of the new economy movement has been regarded as unpatriotic" but an opposition would not base itself on the general and broad purposes of the presidential programme, "which the nation seems ready to continue accepting as just," but rather upon the errors of execution contained in new legislation.

REALISATION WANTED.

Such criticism, the journal goes on, will come from the Democrats as well as the Republicans. The latter are extremely weak in both the House of Representatives and the Senate.

It would seem that the journal is giving expression to the views of a growing section of public opinion which has, until now, been inclined to regard President Roosevelt as an "infant prodigy to whom everything is permitted because he is called upon to do great things" but, who is now faced with the demand that these things should be realised.—*Havas.*

U.S. NAVY TO LEAVE PACIFIC

AN INTERESTING ANNOUNCEMENT

NO REAL REASON GIVEN

Washington, Nov. 3.

President Roosevelt has authorised the United States Fleet cruise in the Atlantic in 1934.

The Assistant Secretary of the Navy has announced that the question of the Fleet's move from the Pacific—postponed this year ostensibly on the score of economy—is now seriously being considered.

The only reason given for the contemplated return of the fleet to the Atlantic is that "the fleet should be acquainted with both oceans."—*Reuter.*

The announcement will be of especial interest to Japan, where the continued presence of the American Battle Fleet in the Pacific has been regarded with serious concern; to say the least, particularly after the Fleet remained in Pacific waters long after the "emergency" which caused the original transfer had passed.

JAPANESE PLANS.

Tokyo, Nov. 1.

During a press interview at Maidsuru Naval Base, the Navy Minister, Admiral Ohsumi, said that the second replenishment programme of the Navy is absolutely necessary for national security. He emphasised the fact that Japan must build as many warships as she is permitted by the Washington Naval Pact. No foreign countries, he said, will be menaced as a result of such a policy.

Japan's naval building plan is nothing but the minimum fulfilment of the ratio allowed her as compared with that of the American Navy, the Minister said. A further replenishment programme may be necessary, he hinted, as a result of the 1935 Naval Disarmament Conference to be held in Washington.

He said that Japan should be ready for probable trouble in 1935. A focal spot will be Japan's mandated islands in the Pacific. Japan's withdrawal from the League of Nations will actually take effect then. The present naval building plan, he said, is necessary if 1935 is kept in mind.

INTERNATIONAL FAIR AND PAGEANT

St. Andrew's Church Programme

The International Fair and Pageant organised by St. Andrew's Church takes place this afternoon in the grounds of the Church.

The pageant programme, drawing on historical incidents and national characteristics of China, England, France, Holland, India, Scotland, and the United States, will be given at 3.30 p.m. and 6.30 p.m. and will be repeated on Monday at 9.15 p.m.

Mrs. C. E. Elliot-Heywood, Mrs. J. H. Hunt, Mrs. Marshall, Mrs. Macaskill, Miss Rice, Mrs. Hoare, Mrs. Noel Evans and Mrs. Booker are in charge of the various stalls.

And there will be all the fun of the fair, a switchback railway, cocoanut shies, aerial railway and so on.

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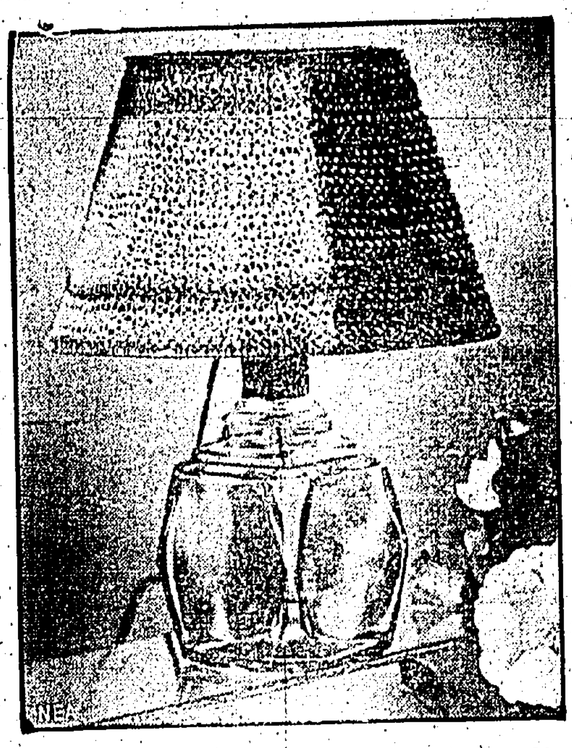


Two Bright Ideas to Keep Your Lamps in Good Appearance

ATTRACTIVE SIMPLY MADE CREPE PAPER SHADES HELP TO PROTECT THEM FROM SUMMER DUST AND DIRT



A pleated crepe paper lamp shade that will protect your best shades from dust and dirt is trimmed with a huge plaid taffeta bow.



If you like to crochet, you'll thoroughly enjoy making this crocheted crepe paper lamp. It is of pale yellow with borders of dark blue.

Give your lamp shades a beauty treatment which will prevent them from getting dusty and dirty. If you have handsome lamp shades and wish them to retain their beauty and natural colours, it's an excellent idea to cover them with crepe paper shades during the summer months.

Your furniture is protected by slip covers, your luxurious draperies have been replaced by summer draperies, so why ignore lamp shades?

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A crepe paper shade which fits over your winter shade and protects it from summer sun and dust is easy to make. Here's how:

Cut a piece of crepe paper the required depth and long enough to fold in loose pleats. A simple way to measure the pleats accurately is to use a ruler or guide of heavy cupboard, cut as large or as small as you wish to make the pleats.

To hold the pleats together, punch holes about one and one-half inches down from the top edge and run a cord in and out of the holes.

The shade is put together by overlapping the last pleats at each end and pasting them together. Adjust the pleats to fit your lamp before tying the cord separately.

Crepe paper shades are nice enough to stand on their own. You don't necessarily have to use them over other shades. If you like to crochet, you will enjoy making and using some of the new crepe paper crocheted lamp shades.

Select colours which harmonize with your room. The one illustrated here is of pale yellow, with borders in graded colour effect of dark blue, orange, green and yellow.

Here are the directions for making a crocheted crepe paper lamp shade:

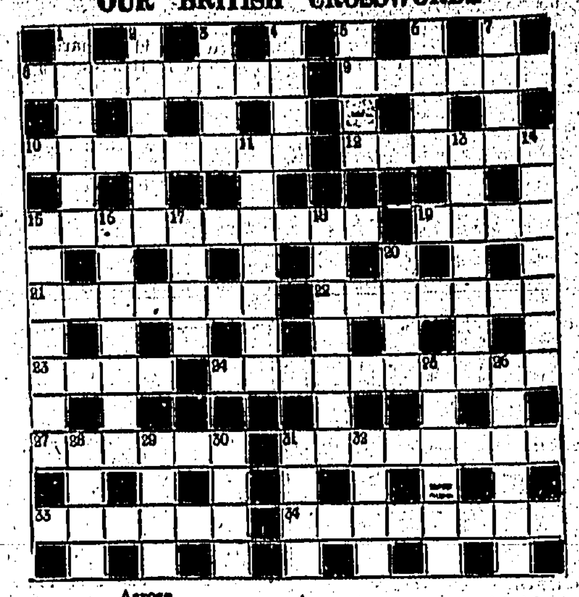
With crepe paper in one of your border colours, crochet a chain long enough to fit around the top edge of the wire frame. Put the hook in the first stitch slipstitch to form a ring. Put 1. s c. in the first stitch, taking up only the back loop of the stitch. Chain 1 stitch, skip one sitch in the chain, and put 1 s. c. in the next. Repeat all the way around. With crepe of the next border colour, make 1 row continuing with 1 s.c. and 1 chain stitch all the way around. Repeat each row in this manner, using border colours as desired and adding stitches when needed to fit the work to the wire frame. Crochet the body of the lamp shade in the chosen colour; then finish off with a border to match the one at the top.

Slip the work over the frame and sew it on along the top and bottom edges with an overhand stitch. Use a darning needle threaded with 3-8 inch strip of crepe paper of the same colour as the outside edge of the lamp shade. Then line the shade with pale yellow crepe paper, stretched and pasted in sections on the inside of the shade.



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OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



Across

8 Club that might strike one unfavourably.
9 Bird.
10 Encourage the greater part of this fish.
12 Has top in chemical form.
15 An anticipation of horrors may inspire this.
19 Provender that may turn a felon's head.
21 A place wherein to take your well-earned rest when you retire.
22 Titled person who is nothing in a Herts town.
23 A flimsy dance.
24 Enemy deserters probably decided they preferred this to this minus the 6th letter.
27 Make of car.
31 More curious as an unfamiliar person.
33 Hammer encountered around everything.
34 Shed tears about a broken elevator, but not in stupid fashion.

Down

1 A motor detail to grasp.
2 Trouble with the Bolshie is not disliked.
3 Watery feminine epithet for man.
4 A headless cleric is nameless.
5 When this is full, start again in capital fashion.
6 Desert travellers can hardly help acquiring this kind of courage.
7 This ends a crisis.
11 One who may exercise his skill on 7 down.
13 Set out with Scottish island as first objective.
14 Haunt.
15 This part of Asia, beheaded, was part of Europe.
16 Kind of uniform for the Order of the Bath?
17 Fall.
18 "Ben's lot" (anag.).
20 If you want to flourish, may we recommend this dish?
25 In mute change to time.
26 This shows the chief point about a gramophone.
28 A well-known 13 down twice beheaded.
29 Tax to twin numbers.
30 A silent communication, perhaps.
31 This cloth might denote penance.
32 A sailor on this would be abroad.

Yesterday's Solution

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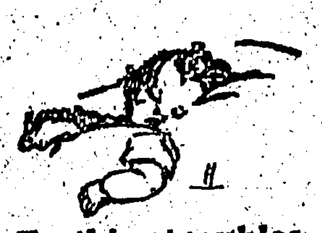
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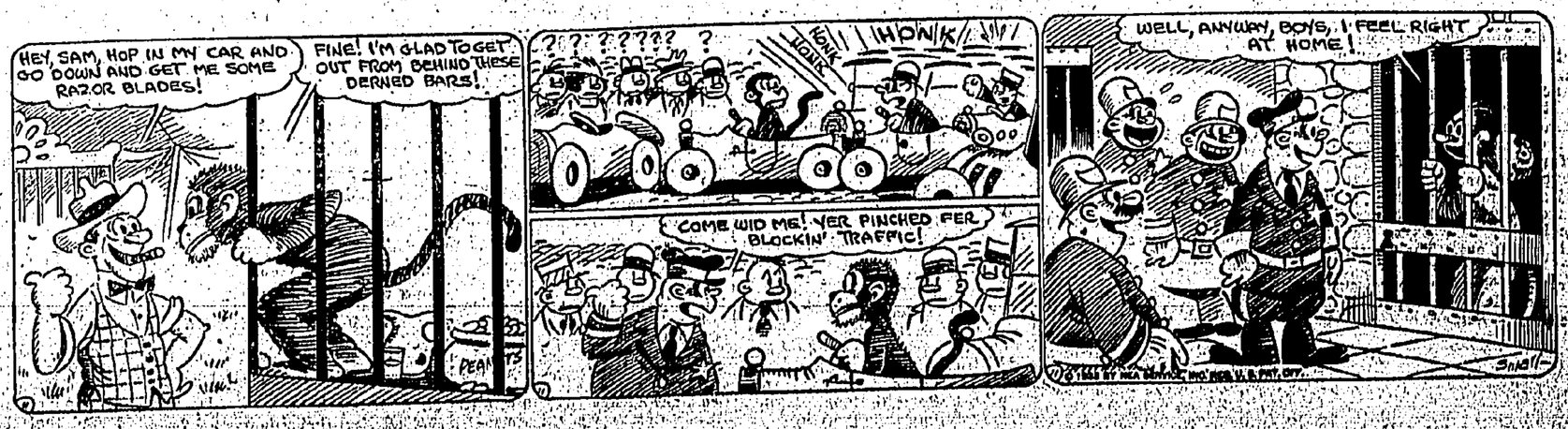
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CHAPTER XVII

"More Night Visitors"

"I beg your pardon," said Napoleon, politely. "Will you repeat that?"

"Guy Haines was the man I named," replied Leonard. "I saw his outline distinctly."

"I say, Sefton! Steady there, are you suggesting that Beryl's brother is on our Black List?"

"I'm suggesting that Beryl's brother followed us to the cave, and that he had some special reason for following us. But whether that places him on the Black List may be moot point."

"That's nonsense, and you know it!" retorted Napoleon. "If Guy followed us, he's obviously on the Black List, and you needn't try to cover it up. Only I don't happen to think it *was* Guy, see? You don't mind, do you?"

"Not in the least."

"I don't think Beryl Haines *could* have a brother who's a rotter. Simple reasoning, if you like, but there it is. Anyway, we'll be able to prove it one way or the other to-morrow, by those foot-prints. Meanwhile, we won't quarrel. Well, that's the next step? Are we going to try and get off the ship, or stay here till we're fetched?"

"It looks as though we'll have to stay here for a bit. In the morning, if nothing happens before then, we can easily attract attention. I'm not sure that I'm sorry to have this chance of searching the ship properly. We've not been all over it yet, you know."

"Seems to me we've been over quite enough," answered Napoleon. "However, start away this moment if you want to, old chap. Where you go, I go—as someone once said in the Bible."

For half-an-hour they explored the wreck from end to end, and by the time they had finished they knew it pretty thoroughly. They made no fresh discoveries, and did not even find any papers on the body of the dead man. This was a disappointment, though Leonard was not surprised, arguing that the seaman had probably gone through his pockets before them.

"But he's left his watch," Napoleon pointed out, as they stared down at the silent form.

"Which proves that robbery wasn't the motive," said Leonard. "Let's have a look at this water. Do you notice, it's not quite so high as it was when we first came down."

He was referring to the water in the dark, dank chamber near which the dead man lay. It gave the place the appearance of a swimming bath which had been disturbed and tilted by an earthquake. But, unlike a swimming bath, there was no temptation to go for a swim.

Leonard stood on the edge, and played his torch across the surface to the curved wall on the opposite side. Lower down that wall, somewhere below the surface, was the tear through which the water had poured. He wondered whether, at low tide, the top of that tear would be revealed, if so, the surface of the water here would join on to the surface of the sea outside.

"I say, you seem confoundedly interested in that foul mess," came Napoleon's voice in his ear. "What's the excitement?"

"I'm still curious about that hole," replied Leonard. "Would you like to dive down, and bring me a report?"

"No, thanks," grinned Napoleon. "There's a limit even to my good-nature. Let's get on deck again. This vault gives me the creeps."

"Wait a minute. Look at the surface over there. On the other side, a bit to the left. Do you notice anything?"

"No. Yes. It's a bit lighter—"

"Ah! I hoped you'd say that! Because I believe it *is* lighter."

"But why on earth should that send you into the Seventh Heaven? I say, I wish you'd tear yourself away from this wretched place!"

"I'm interested because I believe the light is moonlight."

"What! Has the moon fallen at last?"

"I said moonlight, my lad, not the moon. And if it's moonlight, then it could only come through the gap. Now I'll wager that if we wait here a few minutes longer, the tide will have fallen sufficiently for us to see the top of that hole. The crack will appear just where the surface is lightest."

"But, heavens, man, why do we want to see the crack? We know the hole's there. Isn't that good enough?"

"No, not nearly good enough," responded Leonard quietly. "You can go on deck, if you like, but I'm going to stop here."

"Well, everyone to his taste," grumbled Napoleon. "Yes, I think I will take a breather, if you've no objection. I'm getting suffocated. If you get into trouble, give a shout—and if I get into trouble, I'll give a shriek. Toodle—oo."

He turned and departed, and Leonard heard him make his way along the passage and then climb up to the deck.

Leonard settled himself to watch the water. It was a strange, spasmodic vigil at first, for the place was in darkness saving when he switched on his torch; but presently he found that he could watch the faint glow on the surface better with his torch out, and he slipped it back into his pocket.

The glow increased slowly and steadily. The water in its vicinity began to shimmer and take life. At last a tiny hole of brilliant silver light came into being. It came, vanished, came, and vanished again. Then it came once more to stay. There was a sudden movement of the still water at Leonard's feet, and it awoke from its silence. Surface contact had been established with the ocean outside.

The hole was now a crack. Soon the jagged top of the great gap in the ship's side would be revealed, as the water dropped lower and lower. How low would it drop, Leonard wondered? And—would it drop low enough?

Someone stood behind him, watching him. Leonard swung round swiftly at a movement.

"Sorry—it's only the rabbit," murmured Napoleon. "What on earth are you starin' at?"

"Truelove," returned Leonard, reproachfully, "you ought to have more consideration!"

"I've apologised. But this place makes one stealthy. If I raise my voice, or plank my feet down loudly when I walk, I get a small shock. I've come to tell you something. But, first, do tell me what good you think you're doing, watching that ugly sight?"

"It's rather an interesting sight," said Leonard. "It's a sight that most people don't see in the whole of their lifetime—a hole that did for a ship gradually growing bigger in the moonlight. It's a picture that might make a splash in the Royal Academy, if anybody thought of painting it."

"Are you studying art, then?"

"No. I'm studying history. I'm—well, never mind. What have you got to tell me?"

"Oh, nothing important," answered Napoleon, airily. "Not really sure that it's worth mentioning."

"No?"

"There's a little black thing on the water."

"What's that?" exclaimed Leonard, jumping up.

"Only a little black thing. What's that to worry about? But, I admit, it's growing larger all the time. It was a fly when I first saw it. Then it became a bumble-bee. By the time we get on deck, I expect it will have turned itself into a boat."

"And it's coming towards us?"

"Yes. I rather think we're popular."

Without another word, Leonard left the edge of the water and ran along the passage; but as he reached the foot of the steps he asked, over his shoulder:

"How long were you watching me just now—while this boat was approaching?"

"Only about five seconds," replied Napoleon. "The world's full of interestin' things."

They reached the deck, and from a shadowed portion turned their eyes towards the black speck that had once been a fly and a bumble-bee, but that now was undoubtedly a boat. It was a small boat, similar to that in which Leonard and Napoleon had made their own trip to the wreck. Moreover, it was coming towards them from the same point of the compass. A sudden, unpleasant thought entered Leonard's mind. Was it the *same* boat.

"Isn't life lovely?" burbled Napoleon.

"Get your revolver ready," replied Leonard, "but for God's sake don't fire unless I tell you to."

"I've got my revolver ready," answered Napoleon, "and for God's sake I won't fire until you tell me to. And, also, for my sake. Do you find yourself thinking of your childhood days?"

"And, another thing. Keep in this shadow. So far we've the advantage of being able to see without being seen."

"Righto. I remember an apple-tree. I used to climb it. It was so quiet and peaceful . . ."

"Wouldn't you like to be quiet and peaceful now?" asked Leonard.

"In a few minutes, we may both be quiet and peaceful," murmured Napoleon. "However, you're right. The time for conversation is past."

The boat grew larger and larger. They heard the dip of the oars, but could not yet distinguish the figures. Despite the fact that the time for conversation was past, Napoleon suddenly whispered:

"Good Lord, there's a whole gang of 'em!"

"Pretty big crew," Leonard whispered back.

"Can you count 'em?"

"Not yet. There seem to be two people rowing."

"Yes. And I think there are—one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine—"

"Oh, shut up," said Leonard, poking him in the ribs.

The big crew, as the boat drew closer, did not turn out to be quite as big as that. It dwindled down to four. They were just able to count the number before the boat was temporarily obscured by a large rock behind which it slipped before entering the shallows.

The disappearance of the boat was almost more unnerving to Napoleon than its appearance. With his eyes glued on the spot where he expected it to return into view, he suddenly asked:

"What's our plan of action? Have we any?"

"It will depend upon theirs," replied Leonard. "Unfortunately, you can't plan a campaign unless you know whom you're fighting—or whether they're going to fight."

"I expect the madman's among the party."

"Can't say. He might be. So might our seaman."

"Well, you wanted to meet him!"

"Yes—and still do. All we can do meanwhile is to keep alert, and be ready for anything. And don't forget, Truelove, that I'm not supposed to have planned this little trip. You did it for a wager, and when you asked me about a boat I decided to accompany you to see you came to no harm."

"Righto. I'll remember that."

"And then while we were here, we came upon the dead body, and had our boat stolen. We can give them the bare facts, if not the motives."

"Yes—it's the motives that keep me guessing," muttered Napoleon, with a side glance at his companion. "I wish you'd—"

"Sh! There she is again," interposed Leonard, as the little boat slipped once more into their line of vision again. "Yes, there *are* four of them. Two men rowing, and—"

He paused abruptly. They stared at the boat and its four inmates.

"Good Lord—two of 'em are girls!" gasped Napoleon.

"Yes, and one of the others," added Leonard, no less astonished, "is old Mr. Griddle."

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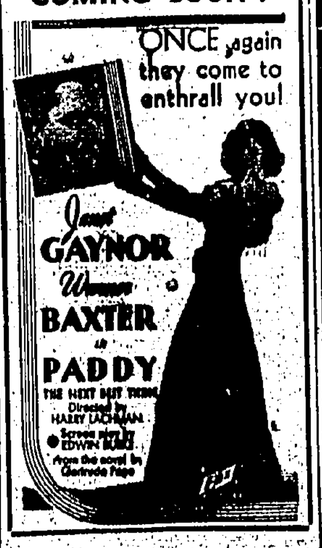
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Mr. H. C. Macnamara LL.B.
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Before the lecture, general business will be dealt with:—
(1) Approval of accounts for 1932—33.
(2) Election of office-bearers for 1933-34.

Those who wish to have tea in the lecture hall, must order it the day before, from the Matron of the Helena May Institute (Tel. No. 22160).

ROBERT K. M. SIMPSON,
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Notice to Shareholders.

Notice is hereby given that the Twelfth Ordinary Yearly Meeting of the Shareholders in the Company will be held at the Offices of the General Managers, 2, Lower Albert Road, on Wednesday, the 8th November, 1933, at 11.45 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with Statement of Accounts, and re-electing Directors and Auditors. The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 26th October, to the 8th November, 1933, both days inclusive.
By Order of the Board of Directors
J. D. THOMSON,
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Hongkong, 23rd October, 1933.

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ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH.

International Fair And Pageant To-day.

MUSICAL SERVICE.

The following are the forthcoming services, etc., at St. Andrew's Church.
Sunday, November 5, 21st Sunday After Trinity.
8.15 a.m. Holy Communion.
10 a.m. Young People's Service and Primary Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon Preacher: The Vicar.
8 p.m. Musical Service. Preacher: Very Revd. Dean Swann.
Saturday, November 4.
International Fair and Pageant. To be opened by Lady Peel at 2.30 p.m.
Monday, November 6. Pageant 9.15 p.m.
Tuesday, November 7.—Mothers' Union. Holy Communion 10.15 a.m.

ST. PETER'S CHAPEL.

The Sailors' Home & Seamen's Institute, Gloucester Road.

Sunday November 5 Trinity XXI.
8 a.m. Holy Communion.
11 a.m. Mattins and Sermon.
8 p.m. Evening Service and Address.
8.45 p.m. Holy Communion.

METHODIST CHURCH.

Rev. Frank A. White To Preach To-morrow.

BRIDGE AND WHIST DRIVE.

The following are the forthcoming services, etc., at Methodist Church.
Nov. 5. 21st Sunday After Trinity.
Morning Service. 10.15 a.m. Preacher: Rev. Frank A. White.
Hymn No. 505, "Lord, teach us how to pray aright" (St. Fulbert).
Prayer of Invocation.
The Lord's Prayer.
1st. Lesson.
Hymn No. 880, "O Lord of all " (Ellacombe).
2nd. Lesson.
Prayer of Intercession.
Notices.
Hymn No. 388, "Ye servants of God, your Maker proclaim" (Hanover No. 4.)
Sermon.
Hymn No. 265, "O, how blest the hour Lord Jesus" (St. Oswald).
Benediction.
National Anthem.
Evening Order by the Rev. F.A. White.
Hymn No. 399, "To the hills I lift mine eyes."
Lesson.
Prayers.
The Lord's Prayer.
Notices.
Hymn No. 429, "O God, my God, my all Thou art" (Eden).
Sermon.
Hymn No. 426, "Love divine, all loves excelling" (Bithynia).
Benediction.
The Sunday evening service will conclude with a celebration of the Sacrament of Holy Communion.
At the Sailors' and Soldiers' Home.
Sunday, 5th.—Christian Social hour, in the Lounge, at 8.15 p.m.
Monday, 6th. The members of the Ladies' Church Aid are holding a Bridge and Whist Drive, at 8.30 p.m. Tickets, $1, including Afternoon Tea.
Monday, 6th.—Badminton, 7 p.m.
Tuesday, 7th.—Fellowship, at 8.30 p.m.
Wednesday, 8th.—Lecture.
Thursday, 9th.—Badminton 7 p.m.

UNION CHURCH
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List Of Services For To-morrow.

A CHURCH SOCIAL.

The following are the forthcoming services etc., at Union Church, Kennedy Road.
Sunday, November, 5.
Sunday School, Kennedy Road, 9.30 a.m.
Sunday School, Taikoo 2.45 p.m.
Morning Service 10.30 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Preacher: The Rev. E. G. Powell.
A Social Hour will be held in the Church Hall after the evening service. Soloist, Mr. W. H. Bailey; Pianist, Mrs C. E. Holmes. Community Singing.
Church Choir Practice Every Tuesday at 5.30 p.m. Practice in preparation for Choir Sunday, "Messiah" and "Elijah."

HONGKONG TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above Company will be held at the Board Room of the Company, Exchange Building, (Second floor), Des Voeux Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on Tuesday, the 28th day of November, 1933, at 12 Noon when the subjoined Resolutions will be proposed as Special Resolutions, viz:—

(1) That the present authorised Capital of the Company of $5,000,000 divided into 500,000 shares (hereinafter referred to as "old shares") of the nominal value of $10 each, the whole of which have been issued, be increased to $7,500,000 by the creation of 250,000 new shares of the nominal value of $10 each ranking as for dividend as hereinafter mentioned and in all other respects pari passu with the old shares constituting the Company's present issued capital.

(2) That the said 250,000 new shares be offered forthwith in the first instance (in the proportion of one new share for every complete number of two old shares held by them respectively) to the members of the Company who on the 28th day of November 1933, are registered in the Company's Share Register as the holders of the said 500,000 old shares at par and so that on acceptance of such offer the sum of $2.50 per share shall be due and payable leaving the balance due on each of such said new shares of $7.50 per share to be called up at such time or times as the Directors of the Company shall see fit to make Calls in respect thereof and so that such new shares so accepted as aforesaid shall rank for dividend as from First day of January, 1934.

And that such offer be made by notice specifying the number of shares to which the member is entitled, and limiting a time within which the offer, if not accepted by the member on behalf of himself or his nominee, will be deemed to be declined, and that the Directors be at liberty to fix such time or times and to extend such time or times to such date or dates, and upon such terms as they may think fit. And further that any of the said new 250,000 shares which shall not be taken by the Company's shareholders in manner aforesaid be disposed of in such manner at such time or times and upon such terms as the Company's Directors shall in their absolute discretion think fit.

(3) That no shareholder shall be entitled to any offer of a fraction of an additional new share in respect of any odd old share held by such shareholder.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 26th November 1933, to 28th November 1933, (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board,
W. L. McKENZIE,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 31st October, 1933.

Every Tuesday at 7.30 p.m. Devotional meeting of the Soldiers and Airmen's Christian Association. All service men cordially invited.

Church Social.
Friday evening, November 10, commencing at 7.15 p.m. See tickets on sale.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Macdonnell Road, below Bowen Road Tram Station. Sunday Service 11.15 a.m. Subject: "Adam and Fallen Man."
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Japan	Arizona Maru	November 6.
Japan	Melbourne Maru	November 6.
Manila	Pres. Hoover	November 6.
Japan	Rakuyo Maru	November 6.
Japan and Shanghai	Tantalus	November 6.
Shanghai	Athos II	November 7.
Japan	Hongkong Maru	November 7.
Shanghai	Memnon	November 8.
Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., 21st October)	Empress of Russia	November 9.
Japan	Santhia	November 9.
Shanghai	Burdwan	November 10.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 13th October)	Pres. Johnson	November 10.
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OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time.
Saturday.		
Bangkok	Michael Jebsen	Sat., Nov. 4, 2 p.m.
Fort Bayard	Tinseng	Sat., Nov. 4, 2.30 p.m.
Letters for "Bandoeng—Amsterdam Air Mail Service."	Rawalpindi	Sat., Nov. 4. G.P.O. Letters, Nov. 4, 9 a.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, E. and S. Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Rawalpindi (Due Marseilles, 1st December). K.P.O. Reg., Nov. 4, 9 a.m. Letters, Nov. 4, 9 a.m.	Sat., Nov. 4, G.P.O. Reg., Nov. 4, 9.15 a.m. Letters, Nov. 4, 10 a.m.
Saigon	Helikon	Sat., Nov. 4, 3 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Grant	Sat., Nov. 4, 4.30 p.m.
Dairen	Tean	Sat., Nov. 4, 5 p.m.
Haihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Com. Henri Riviere	Sat., Nov. 4, 5 p.m.
Sunday.		
Shanghai and Japan	Aramis	Sun., Nov. 5, 9 a.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Kaigan	Sun., Nov. 5, 9 a.m.
Swatow	Svale	Sun., Nov. 5, 9 a.m.
Monday.		
Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane (Due Brisbane, 19th November)	Melbourne Maru	Mon., Nov. 6. Parcels, Nov. 6, Noon. Reg., Nov. 6, 1.15 p.m. Letters, Nov. 6, 2 p.m.
Swatow	Hydrangea	Mon., Nov. 6, 3 p.m.
Amoy	Anhui	Mon., Nov. 6, 5 p.m.
Tuesday.		
Batavia	Tjisaroea	Tues., Nov. 7, 10 a.m.
*Straits, Ceylon, India and East Africa	Arizona Maru	Tues., Nov. 7, 10 a.m.
Fort Bayard, Haihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Tonkin	Tues., Nov. 7, 1 p.m.
Reunion, Mauritius, Madagascar, Lourenco Marques, and South Africa via Batavia	Tjisaroea (To connect with the s.s. "Houtman" at Batavia: leaving Batavia, on 15th November.)	Tues., Nov. 7, 10 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiyang	Tues., Nov. 7, 1 p.m.
Letters for Saigon—Marseilles Air Mail Service"	Athos II K.P.O. Reg., Nov. 7, 11.30 a.m. Letters, Nov. 7, Noon.	Tues., Nov. 7 G.P.O. Reg., Nov. 7, Noon. Letters, Nov. 7, 12.30 p.m.
Saigon and *Europe via Marseilles (Due Marseilles, 8th December.)	Athos II K.P.O. Reg., Nov. 7, 1 p.m. Letters, Nov. 7, 1 p.m.	Tues., Nov. 7, G.P.O. Reg., Nov. 7, 1.15 p.m. Letters, Nov. 7, 2 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and S. America, *Canada, and *Europe via San Francisco, and *Europe via Siberia (Due San Francisco, 27th November).	Pres. Hoover	Tues., Nov. 7, Parcels, Nov. 7, 3 p.m. Reg., Nov. 7, 4.15 p.m. Letters, Nov. 7, 5 p.m.
Wednesday.		
Japan and Honolulu	Rakuyo Maru	Wed., Nov. 8, 10 a.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles.	Memnon (Due Marseilles, 7th December) K. P. O. Reg., Nov. 8, 1 p.m. Letters, Nov. 8, 1 p.m.	Wed., Nov. 8, G. P. O. Reg., Nov. 8, 1.15 p.m. Letters, Nov. 8, 2 p.m.
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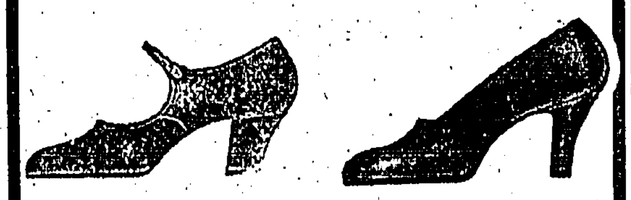
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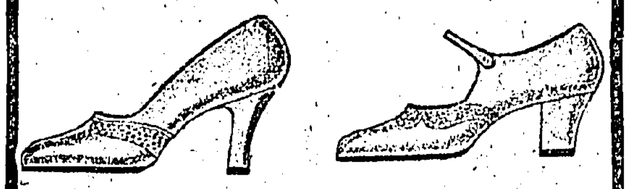
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Friday, November 3.

1. Parade.

(a) The Battery.—1. Battery Staff and Signals will parade at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, November 7 at Headquarters.

2. There will be a parade for Gun Drill and Laying at 5.30 p.m. on Thursday, November 9 at Headquarters.

(b) Engineer Company.—Practice at Miniature Range on Monday, November 6 at 5.30 p.m.

(c) Corps Signals.—Parade at Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, November 7, 1933.

(d) Machine Gun Troop.—1. All ranks will fire Machine Gun Course, Part II on Sunday, November 5 at Stonecutters. Launch will leave Queen's Pier at 8.45 a.m.

2. Parade at Causeway Bay Stable on Tuesday, November 7 for Pack Saddle Drill with Machine Guns.

(e) Armoured Car Section.—The Section will parade at Headquarters on Thursday, November 9 at 5.30 p.m.

(f) Motor Machine Gun Section.—Mechanised Scheme—Sunday, November 5, 1933.

The following drivers will parade at Headquarters at 8.15 a.m. prompt under C.S.M. B. S. Rogers to draw stores and machines.

Actg. L/Cpl. H. E. Lewis, Pte. S. Fowler, H. F. Shields, C. Aris, the remainder will parade at Vehicular Ferry Wharf, Jordan Road, Kowloon at 9 a.m. sharp under L/Sgt. W. L. Miller.

Dress: R. T. C. Caps. Tunic, Breeches, Puttles (rolled down) Boots, Belt, Haversack, Water Bottle (Haversack rations will be carried individually).

November 6 Monday—M. G. Instruction.

(g) Portuguese Company—1. Parade—Tuesday, November 7 at Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. Details will be found in the Appendix.

Dress: Belt and Bayonet-frog.

2. Stonecutters Range—All ranks of the Company are requested to turn up on Sunday, November 12 for instruction and practice on the Range in Musketry, Lewis Gun and Revolver.

Dress: Mufti with Belt and Bayonet-frog, Pouches and Braces and Rifle-slings.

Regular Instructors will be available.

Range Officers will be detailed as required on the Range.

Launch will leave Queen's Pier at 8.30 a.m. and Kowloon Police Pier at 8.40 a.m.

Details regarding organisation of instruction etc. will be issued later to Platoons.

3. All ranks are requested to keep open the dates on which the Company proceeds to Camp, viz. 24th-26th November and 8th-10th December so as to assure a full attendance.

Appendix to Above.

N.C.O. Instructor's Class.—Musketry Aiming Lesson III, S.A.T. Vol: I, 1931 pages 77 to 82, Headquarters.

A.—Lewis Gun Immediate Action, S.A.T. Vol: II, 1931, p. 68—76, Headquarters.

B.—Lewis Gun Handling, S.A.T. Vol: II, 1931, p. 97—107, Headquarters.

C.—Musketry Snap shooting and Rapid Fire Training, S.A.T. Vol: I, 1931, pages 121-123 Sec. 28, omitting page 123 para: 9, Headquarters.

D.—Musketry Aiming, S.A.T. Vol: I, 1931, page 66-72 Stages I and II, Headquarters.

(h) Anzac Company.—Parade at Headquarters on Monday, November 6 at 5.30 p.m. and Friday, November 10 at 5.30 p.m. for Elementary Gun Drill.

(j) A.A.L.A. Company.—There will be no parade on Monday, November 6, 1933.

2. Leave.

No. 1066 L/Sgt. G. G. Stopani-Thomson, Scottish Company, No. 7 Platoon, granted 9 days leave as from 28.10.33 to 5.11.33.

No. 1751 Spr. C. C. F. Crofton, Engineer Company, granted 6 months leave as from 1.11.33 to 30.4.34.

No. 727 Pte. W. H. Owen, Reserve Company, A Section, granted 12 months leave as from 1.12.33 to 30.11.34.

3. Transfer.

No. 1617 Gnr. W. F. Edge, The Battery, transferred to the Reserve Company with effect from 3.11.33.

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No. 1081 Pte. E. H. Williams, A Section, Reserve Company, as from 3.11.33.

No. 1400 Spr. J. T. K. Gilchrist, Engineer Company, as from 25.10.33.

Left the Colony.

No. 1570 Pte. C. A. Figueiredo, No. 9 Platoon, Portuguese Company, as from 1.11.33.

Having reached the age limit.

R.Q.M.S. H. Green, Headquarters, as from 1.11.33.

5. Strength.

Pte. N. Broadbridge, M. G. Coy.
Pte. R. A. Crestejo, Portuguese Co.

The Officers Commanding the undermentioned Units will issue their Orders to their Commands separately:

Machine Gun Company.
Scottish Company.

P. H. WILKINSON, CAPTAIN.
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RADIO BROADCAST.

(Continued from Page 9.)

Instrumental—First Movement of Violin Concerto in E Major (Bach), Bratza (Violin) with Strings and Harpsichord of the Bach Cantat Club, London.

Song—A Fairy Story by the Fire (Merikanto).

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7. Sparks Piano Solo by Louis Vito.
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9. Le Cinquantaine Saxophone Solo by Arsenio Ortego with piano accompaniment by Louis Vito
10. It Don't Mean A Thing by the Ensemble with vocal refrain by Larry Rull.
11. Flapporette Banjo Solo by Fred Carpio with piano acc. by Louis Vito
12. Blue Prelude by the Ensemble with vocal refrain by Larry Rull
13. Valse Petite Piano Solo by Louis Vito
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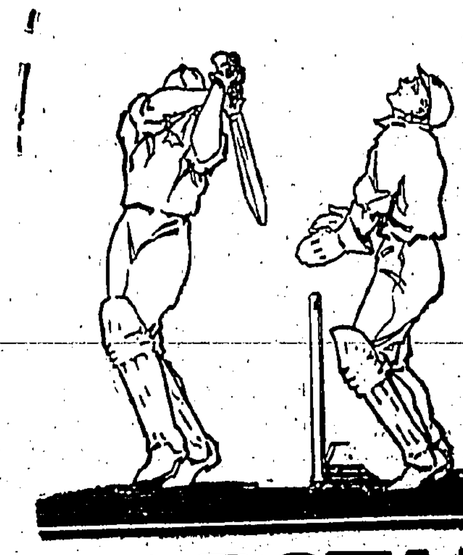
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Dean Inge, preaching at Brompton Parish Church referred to the sacrifices which the British people of to-day must make for the coming generation.

"A grim time lies ahead of us," he declared, "which will test our national character perhaps even more severely than the War itself. In every field it is difficult to predict what the future will bring forth.

The next 30 years must be a time for recuperation. We must keep our eyes not so much on the immediate future as on the generation which will inhabit England when we are gone. For them we must make sacrifices.

"To take one example, we must work out a reform of education which will place the choicest treasures of our ancient glorious civilisation within the reach of all who can appreciate them."

FUTURE OF THE RACE.

"Even the richer class must realise for their own sakes," the Dean proceeded, "that if they are to exist at all it can only be by continuing those habits of self-denial which most of them learned to practise bravely and cheerfully during the war. They will have to choose between simplifying their mode of life or withdrawing altogether. Aristocracies that fall upon evil days generally die out.

I earnestly hope that our upper and professional classes will choose the better way.

"When one visits a public school or university and looks at the boys—perhaps the finest specimens of the human race that can be found anywhere—one feels what a loss to the country, and the world, it would be if their class were to disappear. But the danger exists, as all know who have studied vital statistics, and the causes of it will go up. The only remedy for it is to adopt, voluntarily, a standard of living suitable to the changed conditions under which our children will have to live.

"There are a few who are still really rich. I think it is their bounden duty not to set a standard of expenditure which is impossible for their class as a whole. They ought not to make things difficult for the majority."

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Mr. F. J. Marshall, of Lincoln, the relative, induced the farmer to uncover a portion of the remains, and Mr. Arthur Smith, Curator of the Lincoln City and County Museum, and Mr. Arthur Smith, jun., Curator of Newark Museum, were able to identify the site as that of a Roman villa.

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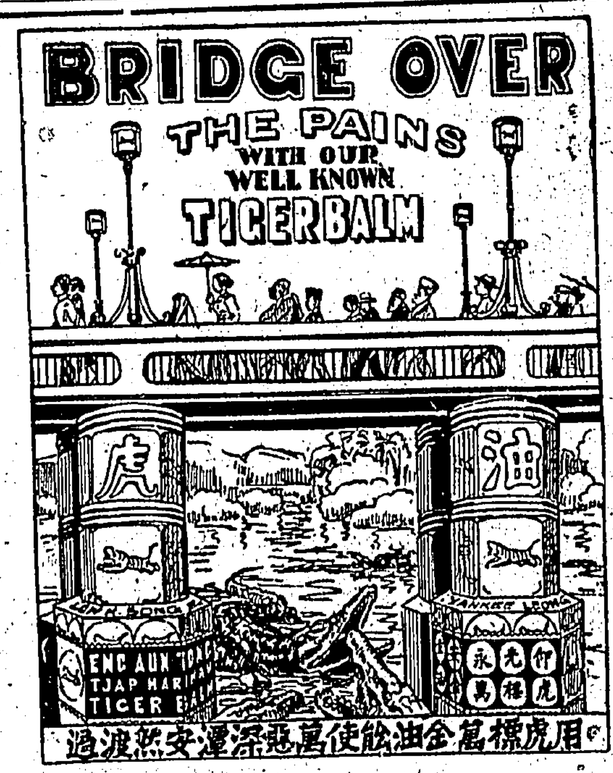
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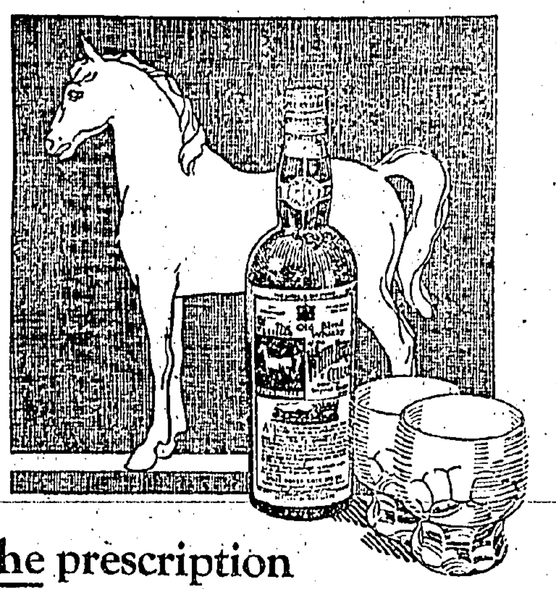


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MARRIED MISERY: WIDER DIVORCE PLEA

JEALOUSY CAUSE FOR DECREE

Law President's Proposals

"DEMORALISING" TIES

A plea for a wider Divorce Law was made by Sir Reginald Poole, in his presidential address to the Law Society at Oxford.

Sir Reginald, who is senior member of the firm of Lewis and Lewis, gave examples of what he described as "married misery," and said there were cases in which it is demoralising to remain married. He advocated divorce decrees for:

Persistent and aggravated cruelty.

Four years' wilful desertion.

A wife's drunkenness and neglect of the home.

A wife's jealousy and suspicions.

He said, however, that he was not in favour of granting divorces to the spouses of convicts or lunatics.

Chief points from his speech are:

"I am in favour of extending the law so as to enable our judges to relieve a spouse from the burden of life with another at whose hands he or she has suffered 'persistent and aggravated cruelty.'

"For one isolated act of infidelity by the other, a man or woman can obtain a decree of divorce.

"But a man may beat his wife, may abuse her before his children and the servants, may render her life, to use a familiar phrase, 'Hell on earth,' and yet she can only obtain a judicial separation.

"Nor is this sort of story entirely one-sided.

DRUNKEN AND JEALOUS WIVES.

"There is the case of a drunken woman who neglects her home duties and her children; there is the case of a jealous woman who suspects her husband's every move—in short, there are cases where the blame rests entirely upon the wife, and in which the husband ought to be placed in the position of being able to get the marriage tie dissolved.

"When, as in so many cases, the husband does everything to torture a wife short of actual physical violence, she cannot even obtain a judical separation unless she can prove by medical testimony that his conduct has injured or tended to injure her health.

"I admit that in many cases of domestic misery the fault lies with the man, but there are cases, and many, where the woman can and does make life unendurable for her husband.

"For two persons to remain married under conditions such as those I have mentioned is demoralising and the cause of much avoidable unhappiness.

"I am not drawing on my imagination for these stories of married misery. They are the subject of frequent and personal experience in the course of my practising career."

EXTRAVAGANT WIVES.

Dealing with another aspect of the law, as it affects man and wife, Sir Reginald said:

"Why should a husband be liable for his wife's torts? I believe that this anomaly is maintained on an old principle that a husband and wife are one. The present difficulty of satisfying a judgment against a married woman is well known. I know of a good many husbands who would sigh with relief if their wife's extravagances were curbed by the possible consequence of a petition in bankruptcy or a committal for debt."

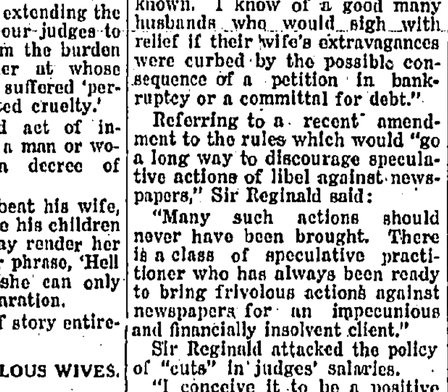
Referring to a recent amendment to the rules which would "go a long way to discourage speculative actions of libel against newspapers," Sir Reginald said:

"Many such actions should never have been brought. There is a class of speculative practitioner who has always been ready to bring frivolous actions against newspapers for an impecunious and financially insolvent client."

Sir Reginald attacked the policy of "cuts" in judges' salaries.

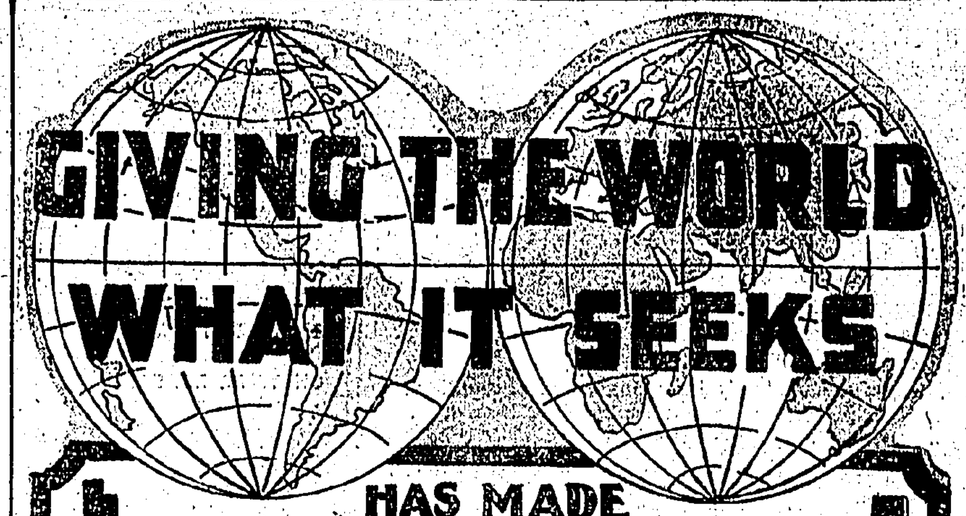
"I conceive it to be a positive danger to the administration of justice that judges should be ill-paid," he said, "because £2,600 a year will not and cannot tempt the best man to take office."

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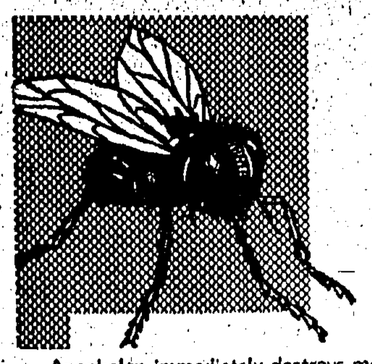
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Looking at Europe

Europe has rarely presented such a kaleidoscope as it does to-day. In some places political fissures, it is true, have been deepened. In others, it is equally true, they have reappeared. Such is the obsession with "news interest" that these, unfortunately, are practically the only views vouchsafed to the general public. But in other places there has been an obliteration of lines of differences. They, too, have their significance. It was only a short while ago that the political commentators saw "irretrievable" obstacles to a Franco-Italian accord. To-day they are gradually coming together, although the development is one which is to be read between the lines rather than in the headlines. The main impulse toward cooperation has been political. Germany is responsible for the melting down of irreconcilabilities. The rise of the new Germany has persuaded Signor Mussolini to become more of a "broker" of European peace than a partisan of the aspirations of one particular segment of Europe. This was the historic role formerly assumed by Britain. Shared with Italy, the broker function has that much more power, and so is to be the more welcomed by all peace-minded folk. Likewise Russia has almost imperceptibly evolved into an instrument of European amity. The mentally inflexible probably will not see the evolution in such terms. Without tracing the metamorphosis, however, the fact is so patent as to have become a definite factor in European politics. Having ringed itself around with nonaggression treaties, and, incidentally, closed up a baker's dozen of political fissures, Soviet Russia has moved nearer to Italy and France. The same shift toward closer union can be detected along the Danube. For years European statesmanship has embogged itself in ways and means of fomenting economic confederation along the river. Now there is hope of a series of bilateral trade pacts. There is, of course, something missing in this rapid review. It is that the bridging of past fissures is too intimately connected with the creation of new fissures. The fact must be faced frankly. Success in working together is coming too frequently from defensive attitudes. Nations are being thrown into each other's arms. Lord Grey used to deprecate the upbuilding of good relations with one nation on the basis of bad relations with another. Such a diplomacy is the old balance of power which could never keep in balance. It made friends mainly for the purpose of undermining enemies. If European statesmanship builds again on defensive attitudes, the end seems bound to be the same as in 1914.

NOTES OF THE DAY

KILMARNOCK

The National Government have retained Kilmarnock, but the figures provide little cause for satisfaction in the official camp. There is nothing in them that can be submitted as offsetting the debacle of East Fulham. On the contrary, an opposition split seems to have furnished the principle factor in the retention of the seat. Mr. Kenneth Lindsay, as a National Labour candidate goes into Parliament with a majority of 3,600 votes over the Labour Party candidate, but the aggregate vote against him was 23,500, nine thousand more than he himself obtained. His predecessor had an absolute majority of over 7,000. East Fulham still has to be redeemed.

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LABOUR REVIVAL

Taken in conjunction with the striking results of the municipal elections, Kilmarnock and East Fulham definitely suggest that a swing against the Conservatives is gaining pace rapidly. Labour candidates captured 244 seats in the borough elections and the Conservatives lost over two hundred. It is impossible to resist the conclusion that the state of panic which caused the landslide against Labour in 1931 has disappeared and that the Socialists have gone far towards rehabilitation of their old position in English politics. The Municipal elections are not necessarily a reliable guide to the way the country would vote in a general election, but the indication offered has been proved as accurate as any other devised.

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WORK FOR REFUGEES

The tumultuous period which followed the War is already slipping into oblivion, and the sufferings of those unfortunates whose whole existence was uprooted as the result of the War, seldom reach the front pages of the newspapers. Only occasionally, when the Nansen Refugee Office, set up by the League of Nations, publishes its modest accounts of its work, the ordinary citizen gets a glimpse of how far the scars of war are still from being healed and what patient and laborious work is needed to wipe away its last traces. The Annual Report of the Office shows that there are in Europe, the Near East and China alone no fewer than 934,700 refugees of the category of which the League has taken charge. 755,000 of these are Russians, 165,632 Armenians and 14,068 Assyrians, Turks, etc. At least 149,000 of these are unemployed or engaged in only casual employment and over 50,000 including war invalids or children, are totally unable to earn their own livings. It is interesting to note that six countries alone still spend nearly 5,000,000 Swiss francs annually on relief work. The Refugee Service, on the other hand, is practically self-supporting.

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SYRIAN SCHEME

The period of large-scale operations at the Office is almost at an end. Many of the Armenians are being settled under a special scheme in the French mandated area of Syria. This work of settlement is now almost complete, and the appalling refugee camps in which the Armenians spent so many years have been practically emptied. A large number of Armenians are also being returned to the republic of Erivan. Some 3,500 are being transferred to an agricultural colony in Mosul. A certain number of Russian refugees were transferred last year, mainly from the Far East to South America. For the most part, however, the Russians have to be treated individually and a large part of the Office's work now consists in helping them to set up in business. Beauty parlours, sale of lemons, pork butchers, the making and painting of Ikons and gold washing, are among the tasks now undertaken by some of them.

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KIANGSI RED MENACE

Commenting on Mr. T. V. Soong's resignation, the *North China Daily News* expresses anxiety concerning the situation in Kiangsi. Information from that province says the Shanghai journal, suggests that Chiang Kai-shek's proposed offensive has been vastly discounted by recent Red successes. The delay which has occurred in launching the drive has given time for undesirable influences to divert the proper disbursement of funds. It is asserted that the pay of many of the Government troops is still greatly in arrears while officers formerly with the regiments have now gone into leisured retirement on which pointed comment has been made. Furthermore the Government has lost effectives not entirely by the action of enemy fire. It is even said that recruits to the Reds includs officers recently passed out of Whampoa Academy. Disappointment and disillusionment have made young men with the desire for service discern more congenial scope in the forces which have for so long dominated Kiangsi. Dr. Hu Shih and others who long ago declared that the communist menace would not be met by military measures were not far wrong.

HOW CHINA LIVES

By E. L. ALLEN

HAVE you ever tried to keep a detailed account of income and expenditure over a reasonable period, so that at the end you could tell how much of your money had gone in this direction and how much in that?

If you have ever tried it, you have probably been rewarded by some surprises; you found that certain items bulked much larger than you had expected, and you perhaps even came across one or two items which deserved to be more generously dealt with.

Imagine now that similar household budgets are drawn up, one by a farmer on the New Territories, another by a rickshaw puller, and so on. They are handicapped by illiteracy and the whole idea is a new one to them. The figures they offer, however, will be very interesting, and as for any element of uncertainty, that can be eliminated by getting enough people to keep such accounts and striking an average at the end. We shall get by that means some clearer idea of how China lives.

JUDGING STANDARDS OF LIVING.

Various people have been working on these lines at intervals during the last few years. They have gathered data from city and country, and from workers of various classes, and the results are available in a pamphlet published in Shanghai for the Ministry of Industries under the title 'The People's Livelihood as Revealed by Family Budget Studies'. In spite of the political flavour in the title, it is a quite straight-forward economic study. No statistics are included from Hongkong, but perhaps we can take it that what is available for Shanghai would apply, roughly speaking, here as well.

Take, to begin with, the question of standards of living in various callings and localities. How are these to be estimated? The best way is to find out what percentage of the family income goes in food. It is to be presumed that expenditure on keeping body and soul together will be the first charge on the household purse, and what is left after this will indicate how far the persons concerned can afford comforts and luxuries. In a word, the higher the percentage of income which goes in food, the lower the standard of living.

Now it is found that in the case of the rickshaw puller of Peiping, no less than 73% of what the family earns is required for food, while the group which is best off, the industrial workers in Shanghai, has still to spend 56% in this way! Set against this the corresponding figures given for workers in U.S.A., 30 to 40%. In one case, when the family has been fed, it still has two-thirds of its income to spend; in the other case, it has only one-third! Out of this, the father has to find clothing, rent, light and fuel, so that he is fortunate if he has more than 10% left for various miscellaneous wants!

WHO EARNS THE INCOME?

Another question is, who earns the family income? The father, of course, is the main breadwinner, but seldom is he the only one. Ordinarily, a man can just manage to support himself and his wife, but if there are any children, their mother must go out and earn as well. Even then there is no relief, and there is still none, though the children themselves go out to work, for what they bring in is always less than they need for their keep. Unlike what happens often in the West, here a large family with several of the children working is worse off than a couple without children and with only the man earning! Not only does the money income not keep pace with the growth of the family, but the amount of food consumed per head shows a decrease. There is clearly a vicious circle about it, low wages make it necessary for the wife to earn, and the lower remuneration given to the woman keeps the wages of the man from rising.

A closer scrutiny of how the money is spent within the family yields some illuminating results. It is clear, for example, that the postal worker or printer in Shanghai is better off than he would have been had he stayed in the country. The pressure of social custom is revealed by the disparity between the amounts spent on education and on what come under the head of 'social expenses'. One group of 100 country families reported an annual expenditure per family of 97 cents on the first item and $3.45 on the second!

PERTINENT COMPARISON.

There is a good deal of uncertainty about such figures, of course, and they present probably a more favourable picture than the facts warrant. No family, for example, would be likely to give particulars of what it lost in gambling or what it had to put out to meet interest on loans. Further, with the exception of the rickshaw pullers, the whole mass of unskilled manual labour lies outside these enquiries and would doubtless prove very difficult to collect facts from. But, in order not wholly to overlook local conditions, we might compare some figures forthcoming from Shanghai with what is reckoned as the poverty-line by the Society for the Protection of Children.

It is reckoned that, to maintain himself in Shanghai at a tolerable level, a single man would need $140 per annum, with a wife $250, and with a wife and three children, somewhere about $450. If, now, it is remembered that the poverty line for relief purposes is fixed by the local Society at $48 per annum, it becomes obvious how acute distress must be which falls below that and how much room there still is for poverty above it.



"The way I understand it, your boy started it by calling Johnnie 'bag o ars.'"

BULLS AND INNERS

From the Office Butts

We sympathise with the prominent local Scotsman who, arriving yesterday by the "Chitral" immediately proceeded to the Hongkong Bank, only to discover the old building nearly demolished. He took an overdraft to drown his sorrow!

We hear of a local hiker who fell into a Chinese gardener's fertilising solution last Sunday. Some people can't leave well alone.

A discussion is waxing furious at home on the question of whether a man has the right to open his wife's letters. What is more to the point is—has he the courage?

Men who prefer to dress untidily about the neck should take up Rugby football. Then they might be neatly collared occasionally.

Residents of Peak Mansions were interrupted last Sunday afternoon by a baby car which had evidently stalled on the road leading down to Pokfulam. Down in the forest something whirred!

Fireworks from Hongkong have a very high reputation in Europe, according to a Home trade report. Even so, they are sure to meet their match.

Referring to the "Eagle" a local scribe asserted...."One seemed to lose contact with the outside world. We also forgot to duck when boarding her!

Mannequins are now required to dance at London stores. Frocks trots.

The hiking season is just about here, or, in other words, the "Roamin' Era."

Overheard on the Peak tram. "I'm not going to Japan this year—As a matter of fact, I much prefer to stay in Hongkong." In other words—BROKE!

After witnessing an amusing incident the other day, we quite expected to read under the "Lost" column—"One temper!"

"Furniture at the moment is assuming strange and fantastic shapes" states a writer in a London journal. We discovered that years ago with our deck chair!

A local resident complained that a girl followed him about the city last Saturday. He should have bought a flag in the first place.

These racing enthusiasts who gather at the Jockey Club as dawn is breaking certainly emphasise the triumph of mind over mattress.

The trouble about putting one's money in a going concern is that one does not always know which way it is going!

It is said that aeroplanes will soon be sent through the air by wireless. We can quite believe it! We came down the Peak this morning by cable.

The *Telegraph's* "right-from-the-horse's-mouth" racing information should do much to foster the sport of kings.

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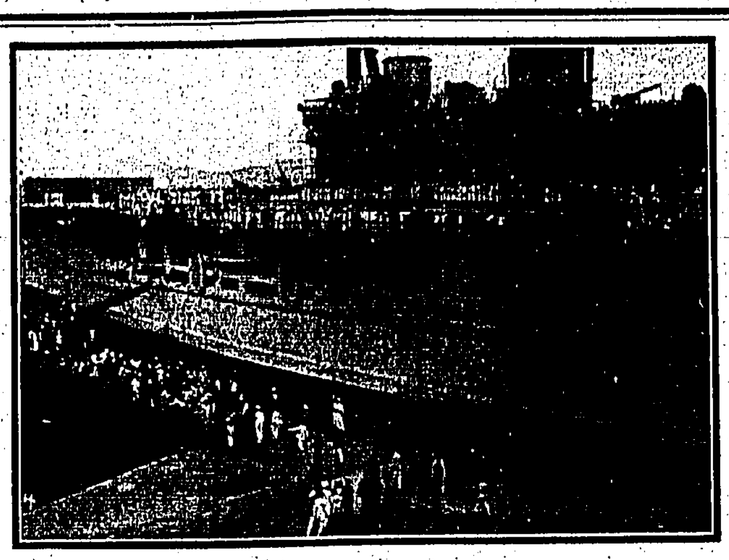
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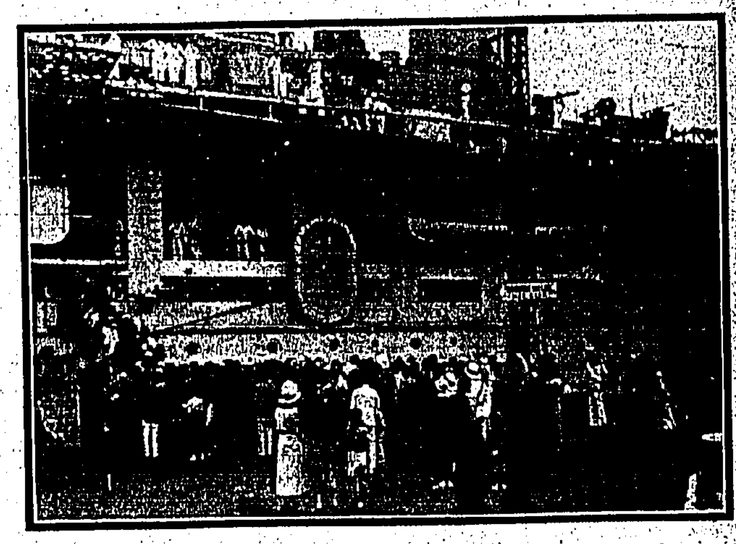
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The programme sellers were quite a feature of Hongkong's first real Navy Day, held on Saturday last. Left to right, back row: Dorothy Grimmitt, Dorothy Salmon, Florence Grimmitt, Peggy Kinchin, Alma Walker, Betty Penney, Alice Anderson: front, Ina Yulebin, Katherine Kinchin, Hilda Salmon, I. Anderson, Nancy Kerrison. (Photo: Mee Cheung).



Upper deck, between decks, and hangar swarming with people, and still they come. Photo taken of H.M.S. Eagle at an early stage of the Navy Day programme. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



H.M.S. Eagle was thronged from a few minutes after the Dockyard gates opened on Navy Day until closing time. Photo shows the crowds queueing-up for a chance to get on board. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



The Colony's lawn bowlers, or most of them, assembled on the occasion of the Aitkenhead Shield match which Hongkong won by a margin of over thirty shots, winning on eight of twelve rinks. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Mother buys a programme on Navy Day. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



"This way please!" The handling of the crowds was almost a triumph of organisation, except on the Eagle, which seemed the centre of interest. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



The Howitzer demonstration last Saturday. The public was astonished at the speed of dismantling and re building. (Photo: Ming Yuen).





The Feast of the Regality of Our Lord was celebrated at the Catholic Cathedral on Sunday. Photo shows part of the Solemn Procession in the compound. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Group taken at Mody Bungalow of Indian silk merchants on the occasion of the celebration of Indian New Year's Day, under the auspices of the Sindhi cricket team.

Top: Preparing to "Cross the Line" on the mysterious-sounding West Wall East. Lower photo: the mouth-organ band which earned much applause. (Photos: Ming Yuen).



Blue-jackets in normal life, but this was an occasion. Group of those responsible for keeping the public well amused during the Navy's special exhibition of itself last Saturday. (Photo: A. Hing).



Mrs. L. G. Frost on Wembly Stag, which won the Ladies' Race at Macao on Sunday. (Photo: Mee Cheung).



Another part of the Solemn Procession on the compound of the Catholic Cathedral last Sunday. (Photo: Ming Yuen).

Autumn Weddings in Autumn Hues

Costumes from Jay-Thorpe New York



Made of stiff, white court satin with collar, cuffs and coronet of duchess lace, the wedding gown at left adds height to the bride. With her bridesmaid in a simple yellow crepe dress, trimmed with large bows of brick-colored velvet, she makes a delightful autumn picture. The velvet hat and gloves match the shade of the bows.



The tall and slender bride can't go wrong in this charming wedding gown of ivory satin with double epaulette shoulders. The little cap, also of ivory satin, has two tiny plumes that hold the new, three-quarters veil in place.

Although white remains most popular for the bride, her bridesmaids may surround her with the gorgeous colors nature provides at this time of year



The bride in white, dull velvet makes a lovely setting with a maid of honor in pansy blue velvet. The mantilla-like lace veil on the bride and the ostrich-feathered velvet hat on her companion are a splendid combination.

NOVEMBER is the autumn bride's month. It is to her what June is to the girl who plans a summer wedding.

Autumn colourings lend themselves to a November wedding and this month's bride, with a little careful planning, can use the most attractive colour schemes for the all-important day.

The trousseau though important does not rank so high as the actual bridal gown which can be carried out in satin, crepe, velvet or faille.

Pure white is probably most popular. Off-white shades, including ivory and the bluish, greenish and yellowed tones, have their places in the wedding of the brides of to-day. However, white is youthful and flattering and there is much to be said in favour of it.

The November bride can work out a charming colour scheme for her wedding. Dress your bridesmaids and your maid of honour with an eye toward the beautiful picture they should present from the back of the church.

Don't array your bridesmaids with pink or blue for a November wedding. That privilege belongs to the June bride. Besides, in a church decorated with autumn leaves, chrysanthemums, and other autumn flowers, there are much more appropriate colour schemes.

Yellow, ranging from the pale tones up to the tawny orange shades, is a good colour for the autumn bride's attendants.

Beige, graduating to brown which the maid of honour wears, is another. And delicate orchid to purple is particularly good this year, since pansy blue and violet are in vogue.

If you have a veil that your great-grandmother wore on her wedding day, don't by any means pass it up. Old laces are particularly smart just now.

If you are practical-minded, perhaps you will choose a wedding gown that can be worn as an evening frock later. If you have that idea in mind, select a dress from which the sleeves can be easily removed.

Veils come in various lengths these days. You can have an extremely long, trailing one, a three-quarter length or a short one which reaches just below your shoulders.

The way you arrange your veil to form a cap must, of course, depend on the shape of your face. And you can have face veiled or not—as you choose.

Flowers that you carry are important, too. Any of the beautiful autumn flowers are appropriate. And if you don't want flowers, a prayer book is always lovely.

DEPRESSION CLOUDS ROLL AWAY

Mr. William Green Sees Day of Brighter Hope

MR. WILLIAM GREEN, who writes this timely and interesting article has for 10 years been president of the American Federation of Labour, now numbering upwards of ten million members.

High in the councils of the "New Deal," Mr. Green is a member of the Labour Advisory Board created by President Roosevelt to advise with General Johnson and the NRA, and also a member of the National Labour Board which was set up for the settlement of industrial controversies arising under the act.

BY WILLIAM GREEN

President of American Federation of Labour

The "New Deal for Labour" has arrived and, like good that comes from evil, out of the blackness of the depression has dawned a new day of brighter hope and promise for the man and the woman who toil.

Labour firmly believes that the emergency remedies for the nation's economic ills, as set up in the National Industrial Recovery Act, will continue as permanent measures.

I speak of:

Recognition of the right of labour to organize and bargain collectively.

Closer relations between employer and employee, of mutual benefit.

Scientific, rather than haphazard, treatment of the unemployment problem by adjustment of work hours.

Abolition of child labour, a curse now banished forever.

Beginning of a steady advance toward the universal application of the six-hour day and the five-day week.

We have seen, within the last few months, the greatest single development in the history of the labour movement. In this period of emergency the foundation has been laid for a new order of things, a new era in our social and economic history.

NEW HOPE FOR LABOUR.

Everywhere labour has taken on new hope and new inspiration. It is reflected in the spirit and the outlook of all classes of men and women who toil.

The right to organize as set forth in the National Industrial Recovery Act is regarded as a basis of not only present benefits, but also of long-range benefits, to the entire working population.

It has been quite clear to all thinking people that adjustment in number of hours worked per day and number of days worked per week was imperative if unemployment were to be overcome. New machinery and improved methods of production so had increased efficiency of the individual worker as to make impossible the continuance of the long work day and the long work week, as these terms commonly are understood.

How to market this increasing volume of goods being produced by more efficient workers and highly improved machinery became an acute problem. If goods were to be sold, buying power must be created among the masses of the people; consumers can buy only in proportion to their earnings.

It was clear, then, that the wage level must of necessity be raised so that buying power would correspond more nearly with our facilities for increased production.

The National Industrial Recovery Act is designed to accomplish these two main purposes:

1. To overcome unemployment by reducing working time so that the amount of work available may be distributed equitably.

2. To increase buying power through increased wages.

In simple terms, that means the unemployed shall be returned to work and a market for manufactured goods and farm products created through increased buying power.

CODES TO BE REVISED.

Immediate purpose of the act is pretty well understood. Its present programme has been unfolded day by day at hearings on industrial codes of fair practice for major industries. Many of these codes, of course, necessarily must be revised, because they have been originated and adopted during a period of more or less economic and administrative confusion. But these details will not alter their purpose.

The recovery act, of course, is an emergency measure. It is designed to remain in effect for two years, or perhaps less. But this does not mean that the economic and industrial principles and policies embodied in this act will cease to be operative at the end of this short period.



WILLIAM GREEN.

If such should be the case, basic industries, like coal and oil—which actually have been saved from economic destruction through operation of the act—would sink back into a condition of financial and economic collapse. Such situation is unthinkable.

Labour believes that the emergency remedies provided in this act will continue and be used as permanent measures.

The right to organize and bargain collectively will continue to be a fixed part of the nation's economic policy. Out of this will come a higher degree of co-operation, collective efficiency, and orderly procedure.

Labour will become a more vital and important factor in our scheme of industrial production and in the development of industrial policies

WORKING TIME ADJUSTED.

Unemployment will be dealt with in a scientific and constructive way. Adjustments in working hours can be made more quickly, so that communities can be spared the distressing experiences through which they have passed in the last few years.

Labour firmly believes adjustment of working time will continue steadily until the six-hour day and the five-day week quite universally are applied.

As a matter of fact, the number of hours worked per day and the number of days worked per week must be adjusted to the point where the slack of unemployment will be overcome.

Another achievement is the present temporary elimination of child labour, which will become the fixed and permanent policy of the nation.

All these advances mean much to the future of the working people and those dependent upon them for a living. This development is socially significant because it means the enjoyment of a greater degree of leisure by the worker, with increased spending power.

WHOLE NATION TO BENEFIT.

Labour firmly believes that this means a profound development in the cultural and artistic values of human life—an addition to the sum total of human happiness.

Not only will labour benefit; it is fair to assume that all the people of the entire nation will step up and occupy a higher plane of living than they ever have known before.

That is labour's long-range view of the "New Deal."

The road leading toward that goal is long, of course, and beset with problems and difficulties that must be overcome, but already we are travelling on that road and making progress.

Already, through creation of new work opportunities, more than 2,500,000 unemployed have been returned to work since the recovery programme became operative. Buying power has been increased greatly and it will continue to increase in proportion to the number of idle workers restored to employment, and also through the increase in continued earning power that comes with steady jobs.

NEW SPIRIT BORN.

An increased spirit of unity and co-operation is apparent among the nation's workers—a spirit born of their new freedom and their new opportunity for collective action—as reflected by the fact that during the last four months 1,500,000 new members have been added to the rolls of the American Federation of Labour and its affiliated international unions.

For four years the nation has faced one of the most trying periods in its history. To-day, we look to the future with hope and courage, confident that out of chastening evil there has come enduring good.

To labour, the "New Deal" means more than just a temporary and emergency step to combat the depression—it holds the promise of the dawn of a new era for the millions who toil.



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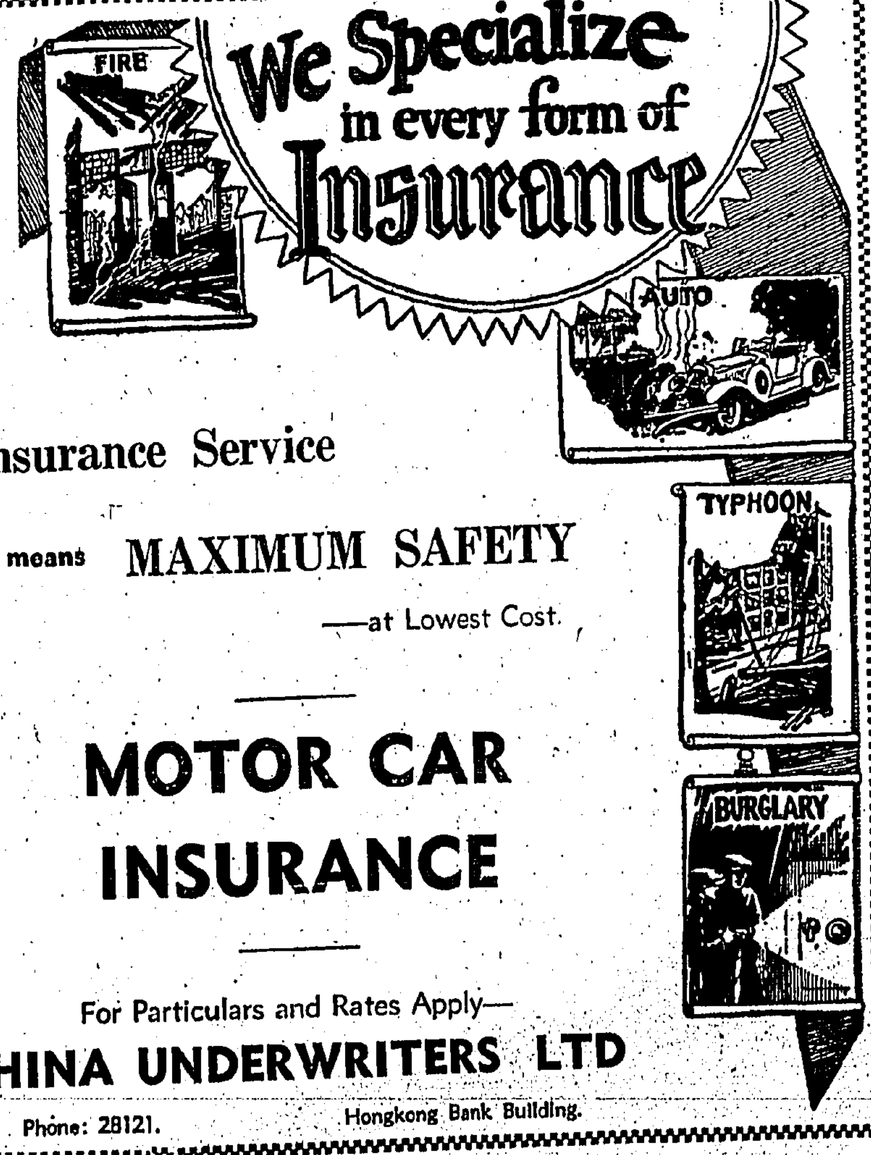
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A DEMOCRATIC BALKAN MONARCH

KING BORIS OF BULGARIA'S VISIT TO ENGLAND

The time was a week or two ago. The place was the dining room of one of London's Ritziest hotels. The occasion was dinner. Many of "the best people" were there, dressed to the nines, all the men in evening garb and the women in the latest Paris models.

Everything was peaceful and pleasant until a dark-haired, dark-moustached man of medium height entered with his wife and unobtrusively sat down at a vacant table. Then there was a buzz. For the man wore an ordinary blue lounge suit and soft collar and the woman was in a plain mauve-coloured travelling dress.

"Who are those people, I wonder?" exclaimed one woman, quite at the top of her adenoids.

The waiter said he understood they were a certain Dr. Handjieff and wife.

"Of course," said the shocked clothes-rack, "all those people with such names who come from the Balkans, never know how to do things properly, no matter how much money they may have."

And that was that, until—

The Handjieffs had finished their meal, paid their bill, given their tip and strolled out.

At the door-way they were met by a band of Italian waiters, clerks and hotel officials, who stood stiffly at attention and gave them the Fascist salute.

Then a secret was revealed and all the "best people" felt worse than ever. For the Handjieffs were none other than King Boris of Bulgaria and his pretty wife, Queen Giovanna, daughter of Italy's monarch.

It was just one of those incidents, which if it had come to the ears of Boris, would have afforded him vast amusement. He is like that. He is a most democratic king. He likes going about incognito. He dislikes fuss and feathers. Ruler of a nation of peasants, he likes to be a plain man among plain men. In this he differs very much from his father, ex-Czar Ferdinand of Bulgaria, who loved the glamour which goes with kingship.

KING'S PAWN.

Boris was born at Sofia, his country's captial, on January 30, 1894. From the start, Czar Ferdinand made his baby heir an important pawn in his game of winning the affections of the Bulgarian people. The infant was proclaimed Prince of Tirnova in memory of the days when Bulgaria was a great Kingdom and Tirnova was its capital.

The loss of the war brought about revolution in Bulgaria and Ferdinand abdicated in October, 1918, fleeing to Coburg, Germany.

SANGUINARY YEARS.

Internally there was one trouble after another. In 1923 a coup d'etat overthrew the ministry and Premier Stambolisky was the victim of a horrible assassination, being almost chopped to pieces.

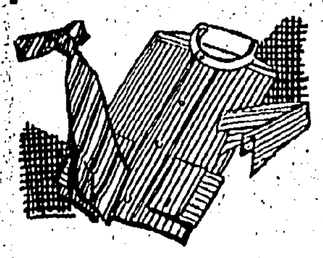
None of these events shook the nerve of the young king. He often went to the country and lived the life of a simple peasant. His main meal consisted of cheese and black bread, fruit and a glass of beer. His principal diversion was sitting at the throttle of a railway engine. He has gradually won the affection of most of his subjects, but the crown still lies uneasily on his head. There are always fanatics who may try to blow it off.

Which is why he and his Queen like to come quietly to countries like England and play at being the sightseeing Handjieffs, taking a bus ride, dropping in any old time and old place, for a bite to eat, mingling with the folks and being treated like one of them.



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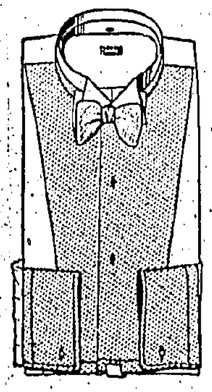
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ELLIS KADOORIE SCHOOL FOR INDIANS

PRIZE-GIVING THIS MORNING

The annual prize-giving of the Ellis Kadoorie School for Indians took place this morning, when important changes in organisation during the coming year were foreshadowed by the Headmaster, Mr. W. L. Handyside.

In his report on the work of the School, Mr. Handyside said, in part:

Mr. Arculli, Mr. Smith, Ladies & Gentlemen, Boys. In presenting the Annual Report for 1933 I have to follow the usual custom and give certain statistical and other details for purposes of record. I wish on these occasions we could, like the chairmen of other, perhaps, more important, annual meetings, say "The report has been in your hands for some time and I shall take it as read". I am sure it would suit all parties especially long-suffering school boys. That being out of the question, I shall be as brief as is compatible with the importance of the occasion.

The Staff consists of a European Headmaster, 6 Indian and 2 Chinese assistants. I was not many weeks here before I drew the attention of the Director of Education to the inadequacy of the Staff with the result that next year the Staff will be strengthened by the addition of a University Trained Teacher Graduate. This addition, with morning school only in the two lowest classes, will allow of greater attention being given to backward pupils—especially the older boys from India who need more time at English.

HEALTH GOOD.

The general health of the school was good in spite of a very trying summer. There is however a large number of cases of bronchitis and of digestive troubles many of which are due to negligence and malnutrition. We have to thank the Medical Officers at the Wantsai Dispensary and G.C.H. for their cooperation.

The M. O. Schools visited the school on three separate occasions and while examining pupils gave much needed advice to the parents who were present.

This subject forms a suitable connecting link between Health and Studies as it concerns both. Discipline is a great problem in any school —much more so in a school such as this where there are such variations in age, and attainment, and such differences in cultural and social environment. From an external point of view the discipline is good but I find the pupils sadly lacking in self-discipline. Having been accustomed to external control, they cannot appreciate its absence and are inclined to take undue advantage. I have had to deal with several cases of maliciousness. In no case had I to resort to corporal punishment or expulsion although on one or two occasions I was sorely tempted. My refusal to adopt extreme measures was not due to any doctrinaire notions about the evil of corporal punishment. It was rather that I consider such extreme measures as evidence of failure to deal with pupils reasonably. When cases of indiscipline—always playground or out of school cases—were carefully, almost judicially, examined, I found the culprits were usually more sinned against than sinning.

SELF-CONTROL.

The cure for want of self-discipline is not a strengthening of external control but gradual training in self-control. The narrowing of the age—range in classes and the introduction of more objective, concrete methods of instruction will go far to minimise disciplinary troubles.

In this connection I would appeal to parents who bring their boys from India, to bring them young. As I have said, it creates difficulties of all kinds to have in the same class boys whose ages differ by as much as 5 years and yet the only alternative at present is to exclude boys of 10 and over who do not understand English when they first arrive. If we get such boys about 9 or 10 years of age, we could do much more for them and our instructional and disciplinary troubles would be greatly minimised.

STUDIES.

We held three examinations during the year—a Test Examination and the usual Half-yearly and Annual Examinations. Certain innovations were made in the type of questions in English with a view to estimating general intelligence rather than standard of attainment. The scope of the experiment was too limited to permit of any sound conclusions but the fact that (1) boys liked these questions in spite of their novelty and (2) the order of merit on the usual examination basis did not coincide with the order yielded by these questions, shows they had some value.

At the Annual Examinations—Classes 8 to 5—136 boys were examined 120 or 88% passed in English subjects, 86 or 63% passed in Urdu and 113 or 83% passed in both groups. Class 4 was as usual examined by the Eduction Department. Of 30 candidates 15 passed. Three Government Scholarships tenable at Queen's College or King's College were granted.

Urdu is decidedly weak in the upper classes. Local-born boys as a rule do badly in it. This is because (a) it is a foreign language to them and (b) they have little incentive to apply themselves to it as a pass in Urdu is not essential for promotion either within the school or to Queen's College. I have recommended to the D.E. that steps be taken to improve the status of Urdu as a school subject, my chief argument being that a second language may be necessary for candidates for the new School Leaving Certificate and local-born Indians have only one language viz. English. Any change will entail a modification of the present Urdu syllabus but we have anticipated this and next year certain changes will be made as regards both method and subject matter. Apart from mere utilitarian reasons, a change is necessary on both cultural and disciplinary grounds.

POWERS OF REASONING.

Previous Headmasters have commented on the general weakness in this school of Arithmetic. I find a similar weakness in Grammar and Geography—in fact in all branches that make a demand on the powers of reasoning. I have tried to find an explanation of this and have concluded that the weakness is deep-seated. In the first place the pupils are too young to appreciate formalism in these branches. Where the boys are old enough, their knowledge of English is inadequate. Second and arising directly from this the foundations in these branches are badly laid. The first steps are treated in too abstract a manner. I should like to discuss each of these branches separately but it would take up too much time and this is perhaps not the proper occasion: it is rather a question for teachers than for parents. Broadly speaking, I may say that there has been a lack of suitable equipment and apparatus and lessons have been too much dissociated from the everyday experience of the pupils. We have tried to remedy these defects. Additions have been made to our apparatus and more will be added next year. But these are only half measures. To my mind, the whole curriculum of this school needs radical revision and a mere paper revision will not meet the case.

As a step in the right direction we are making with the consent of the D.E. a new departure next term. The two lowest classes will become Kindergarten classes; they will no longer be subdivision of Class 8 but separate classes—10 and 9. Secure foundations should then be laid in the fundamentals. This will apply to both English and Urdu.

In connection with the formation of Kindergarten Classes I should like to take this opportunity of thanking Miss Cotton, Headmistress, Quarry Bay School and her staff for their invaluable assistance. Miss Cotton very kindly granted permission to two members of the Staff—Messrs. Hardit Sigh and Channan Sigh to visit Quarry Bay School to see the work there and to examine and have explained the various types of apparatus &c. in use. Miss Cotton was also very generous in the matter of lending books &c. for Staff use.

PENMANSHIP.

There is one more point before leaving the subject of school studies. For Penmanship we use Print Script throughout the school and it is excellently done. But I am not convinced that the results justify the effort involved. I should like to see the Script systematically modified so that the pupils in the top classes—5 and 4—would use a "running hand". Print Script is economical of time and effort in the lower classes but it is the very reverse in the upper classes. This is a big problem and I leave it at that.

Recently the pupils have been taken on educational walks and excursions. I wish we could do more in this way. With suitable preparation, more genuine education can be given during a morning among the hills or along the roads overlooking the harbour than a week at the drudgery of "tables" and "rules of spelling".

During the year we have had several visitors including Mr. Sutherland(who has the interests of the school very much at heart: he provides seed for the garden, special prizes and generally takes a fatherly interest in the boys), Mr. Brawn (who has gone out of his way to make things easy for us), Mr. White, Headmaster, Junior Technical School and Mr. Arculli on several occasions.

On March 15th on the occasion of the University's Coming of Age Celebrations, all members of the Staff, with the permission of the D.E., availed themselves of the opportunity of visiting the laboratories and workshops and were greatly stimulated by what they saw.

GENERAL.

During the year 28 boys had their fees paid from a Special Fund. I wish to express thanks on their behalf to Mr. Arculli and the Trustees of the Sir Ellis Kadoorie Fund. We are also grateful to the trustees of the late Mr. Woo Hay Tong for a Scholarship tenable for 3 years at Queen's College.

In conclusion I wish to express our thanks to the visitors who have honoured us with their presence. I wish to express personal thanks to the D.E. and both I.E.S. for their patient and sympathetic consideration of the many proposals I have made during the year. My thanks are also due to a very loyal and hard-working staff to whom no task—during or after school hours—seemed to be a burden. They have made my brief sojourn among them very pleasant indeed. A word of thanks is also due to the School Prefects and the Captains of the various Teams for their willing help in the non-academic but supremely important activities of the School. Finally we all—Staff, boys and especially myself—owe a deep debt of gratitude to Mr. Arculli. We are apt to take Mr. Arculli's interest and support for granted but few realise the extent to which he sacrifices his own private affairs in the interest of this School and the community it humbly seeks to serve.

PRIZE LIST.

The prize list follows:—

Class 4:—Bashir Ahmed.—1st. prize, Composition Prize, and Govt. Scholarship for three years.

Naranjan Singh.—2nd. Prize, Geography Prize, and Govt. Scholarship for three years.

Jagjit Singh.—Govt. Scholarship for three years.

Abdum.—Woo Hay-Tong Scholarship for three years.

Bhakwan Singh.—Urdu Prize, and E. K. Scholarship for one year.

H. A. Bux.—Special Prize, for Progress presented by A. R. Sutherland, Esq.

Class 5:—Sher Mohammed.—1st. Prize, Urdu Prize, and Govt. Scholarship for one year.

Lal Singh.—2nd. Prize

Abdul Rahman.—E.K. Prize for Composition.

Noor Ahmed.—E.K. Prize for Geography.

Class 6:—Ismail Ali.—1st. Prize, E.K. Prize for Geography, Govt. Scholarship for one year.

Osman Talip.—2nd. Prize and E.K. Prize for Composition

Bashir Hussain.—Urdu Prize.

Class 7:—Dawood Moosa.—1st. Prize, E.K. Prize for Composition, and Govt. Scholarship for one year.

A. B. Mohammed.—2nd. Prize

Nehr Singh.—Urdu Prize.

Aland Din.—E.K. Prize for Geography.

Class 8. A.:—Jaggat Singh.—1st. Prize and Govt. Scholarship.

Abdul Hussain.—2nd. Prize and E.K. Prize for Geography.

Mohd. Curreem.—E.K. Prize for Composition.

Sarwar Khan.—Urdu Prize.

Class 8.B. :—Ali Ahmed.—1st. Prize and Govt. Scholarship.

Mehtab Singh.—2nd. Prize.

Mohinder Singh.—Urdu Prize.

Class 8.C.:—Pritam Singh.—1st. Prize and Urdu Prize.

Kartar Singh.—2nd. Prize.

NEW ITALLIAN MINISTER

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the diplomatic service the next year.

He was attached during his career to the Italian Legation in Vienna and to the Embassies in France and Brazil, acting as charge d'affaires on several occasions.

Comm. Bocasrelli holds several high decorations, both Italian and foreign, and he has been highly appreciated in all the countries in which he has been detailed for duty, owing to his tact, his diplomatic ability and social attainments.

Among those who welcomed the new minister at the boat this morning were the Revs. Frs. E. Teruzzi, A. Granelli, A. Spada, from the Hongkong Catholic Mission; D. Braga, V. Bernadini, from the Salesian Institute of Hongkong; C. Ciuchiara representing Bishop I. Canazel of the Catholic Mission, Sluchdw; G. B. Guarona representing the Salesian Institute of Macao; B. Maglio representing the Catholic Mission of Waiyoung district; Capt. Facci, Cav. Bneri, Mr. R. Bignazzi, Mr. A. Piovanelli, secretary of the Fascist Party; and others.

They attended celebrations of the Italian Armistice Day at St. Joseph's Church, Bishop Valtorta conducting the service.

SOCCER TEAM CHANGES THIS WEEK-END

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wai; Yeung Shui-yick, Wong Moi-shun, Tay Quee-liang, Tam Kong-pak and Ip Pak-wa.

St. Joseph's:—Marques; L. Gomes, and A. V. Gosano; Elms, Costa and Beltrao; B. Gosano, A. Ward, D. Leonard (Captain), L. Rocha and M. Sahban.

Recrelo:—E. Marques; J. Bowen and R. Silva-Netto; W. Maher, N. Delgado and J. Gonsalves; T. Castilho, G. Guterres, H. Sousae, J. Gomes and J. C. Santos.

Kowloon:—Cord; Hill and Willis; Whitfield, Timberlake and Bliss; F. White, Webb, Elliott, Lewis and Blake.

SECOND DIVISION.

R. Artillery:—Wood; Price and Gibbons; Hunt, Collier and Worthington; Wood, Edmunds, Bermingham, C. Walker and Hill. Reserve: Stevens.

Borderers:—(72)' Williams; (37) Jenkins and A. N. Other; Suter, Court and Hayes; (35) John, Morris, Jones, Marshfield and Searls.

South China:—Wong Wa-kai; Mah Ping-cheong and Cheong Fai-lam; Yau Wa-hing, Lam Tak-po and George Yeung; Chow Kwai-kong, Ng Po-kui, Kam Sek-wa, Lai Siu-wing and Yeung Poon-hon.

Lincolns:—Deacon (Capt.); Colclough and Edminson; Maughan, Worrall and Robson; Clayton, Chapman, Tate, Pte. McGuinness and Toyne.

THIRD DIVISION.

Borderers:—Norris; Watkins and Dowding, John, Bebbington and Williams; Hamblyn, Nelson, Purcell, Morgan and Sellis.

South China:—Tang Yat-ming; Cheung Pak-wing and Ip Wai-lam, Tan Kwai-choi, Chow Koon-ping and Siu Kit-man; To Wai-hung, Lau Wing-kong, Tong Hing; Hui Yin-kong and Tse Shui-yu.

R.A.M.C.:—Cossar; Corbett and Parry; Lane, Goulty and Casson; King, Paul, Adams, Otterwell and Pim.

Lincolns:—Meakin; Martin and Ramsden; Parker, Wildy (Captain) and Thompson; Matthews, Potter, Setters, Harper and Clark.

Recrelo:—A. P. Silva; M. Oliveira and B. Gaan; B. Laurel, V. Xavier and A. E. Xavier; D. Aquino, H. Campos, A. Castilho, C. Coelho and J. Alves. Reserve:—C. Marques.

"AUSSIES" BEATEN

Rugby Tourists Lose on the Post

Bradford Northern 7 pts. Australians 5 pts.

Bradford Northern proved to be the first club team to beat the Australians during the present tour, scoring two goals and a try (seven points) to a goal and a try (five points) at Bradford.

The Northern forwards carried off chief honours, for not only did they control the scrummages to a large extent, but they more than held their own in the open.

Within five minutes of the kick-off Prigg was penalised for not playing the ball and, from the resultant kick, Litt gave the Northern the lead. Not for long were the visitors in arrear, however, for following the failure of several bouts of passing, Neumann sent in Prigg for a try that Mead converted.

Before the interval the Northern got on terms, Bradbury getting a try that Litt could not convert. During the last half hour a series of scrummages took place and at last, in the closing minute, Sherwood dropped a goal, giving his side the victory a second before the final whistle sounded.

Bradford Northern: Taylor; Patlow, Berry, Halton, Walker; Bush, Bradbury; Litt, Turner, Sutton, Parr, Elson, Sherwood.

Australians: Smith; Gardner, C. Pearce, Laws, Neumann; Mead, Doonar; Glasheen, Curran, Doyle, Dempsey, O'Connor, Prigg.

R. ABBIT ON MALAYA'S TEAM

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bowler. It is his first experience of cricket out of Malaya. He is only a fairish bat, but an excellent field.

R. G. Gibson we have already seen. He is a dangerous bat with a very long reach, and punishes the bad 'uns very hard. He is a fine first slip, though, if my memory serves me correctly, he fielded "in the country" the last time he was here.

The Probable Team

These players will probably form the side in Monday's game against Hongkong. But R. N. Hamilton can also call on the services of R. B. Lewis now in Hongkong. He bowls slow twisters and they say he can bat at times.

W. W. (Bill) Deane is also available, although he is nominally umpire and manager. He is a veteran, but is said to be a right hand edition of Doc. O'Hara—full of guile.

Later on I shall hope to deal with the cricket in a series of articles published in the *Telegraph* on the day after play.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

BELIEF CONSISTS IN ACCEPTING THE AFFIRMATIONS OF THE SOUL; UNBELIEF, IN DENYING THEM.—*Emerson.*

Mr. J. W. Franks has resumed duty as Superintendent of Prisons.

Machine gun firing will take place from the vicinity of Tweed Bay, Stanley Peninsula, towards D'Aguilar Peak, between 6.45 p.m. and 9 p.m. on Wednesday, November 8.

The total rainfall measured at the Botanic Gardens last month was 3.27 inches. Most of this fell in the first half of October, and the greatest fall on any one day was 0.86, on the 8th.

A Qualifying Examination for appointments of Probationer Clerks in Government Service will be held in Ellis Kadoorie School Hall on Monday, January 8, 1934, at 9 a.m. when all candidates will be examined in English Dictation, and on Thursday, January 1934, when only those who have passed in Dictation will be examined in Arithmetic, Composition, General Knowledge, Translation from English to Chinese and from Chinese to English. Intending candidates must forward to the Assistant Colonial Secretary on or before Thursday, December 20, 1933, a copy of a Certificate as to character and education from the Headmaster of their last school together with one unmounted photograph on the back of which should be written their name, address and date of birth.

There was a clean bill of health in the Colony on Thursday.

Lt. Col. Robertson, Hongkong Club, will be glad to receive any article which may be auctioned on Armistice Day for the benefit of Earl Haig's Fund, and earnestly hopes that a good response to this appeal may be made. He is encouraged to appeal again this year owing to the very generous gifts sent last year.

The wedding took place yesterday morning at St. John's Cathedral between Mr. F. H. Dod, of Manila, and Miss Hope-Brown, the Dean officiating. The bride was given away by Mr. Geare of the Socony-Vacuum Corporation, Manila. Mrs. J. T. Laing and Mrs. Dowson were in attendance upon the bride, while Dr. S. Seguin Straham was best man. Mrs. Strahan was the Matron of Honour. The honeymoon is being spent at Repulse Bay and Mr. and Mrs. Dod will leave for Manila on November 9.

The transport Nouralia is due to arrive from Shanghai about 8 o'clock to-morrow morning, and will remain in Hongkong until Friday November 10 when she will depart for Shanghai again. One hundred other ranks of the 2nd Battalion, the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, will disembark to-morrow and proceed to Shamshuipo where they will be billeted, while the 2nd Battalion, the East Lancashire Regiment, will also land and proceed to Sun Wai Camp, Fanling, for training.

RADIO BROADCAST

WEEK-END BROADCAST

DANCE PROGRAMME FROM H.K. HOTEL TO-NIGHT

From Z. B. W. on a wavelength of 355 metres:

4-7 p.m. Chinese recorded programme.

7-11.30 p.m. European programme.

7-7.22 p.m. Waltzes.

Danube Waves (Ivanovici).

International Concert Orchestra.

Hungarian Flower (arr. Schaeffer-Paepke).

Gypsy Souvenir (arr. Schaeffer-Paepke).

Hungarian Rhapsody Orchestra.

Gypsy Love (Lohar).

Sweetheart Waltz (Strauss).

International Concert Orchestra.

7.22-7.36 p.m. Bass Solos.

The Blind Ploughman (Radclyffe-Clarke).

Oh Could I But Express in Song (Malashkin).

Feodor Challinpin.

When the King Went Forth to War (Koenemann).

In Questa Tomba Oscura (Beethoven).

Theodore Chaliapine.

7.36-8.25 p.m. Variety.

8 pm. (Local Time and Weather Report).

Orchestral—Neapolitan Nights.

Orchestral—Allah's Holiday.

Victor Salon Orchestra.

Violin Solo—Kreisler Serenade.

Violin Solo—Frasquita Serenade.

Fritz Kreisler.

Song—Rio Rita.

Song—Only a Rose.

Richard Crooks (Tenor).

Orchestral—Sweet Hawaiian Dreams.

Orchestral—Hawaiian Sunset.

Hilo Hawaiian Orchestra.

Vocal Duet—Hush! Here Comes the Dream Man.

Vocal Duet—I Don't Want to Play in Your Yard.

Evelyn Griffits and Master Charles Hawtrey.

Instrumental—Love's Old Sweet Song.

Instrumental—Oh, Promise Me!

Victor Salon Group.

Humorous Song—Down in de Cane Brake.

Humorous Song—The Song of the Prune.

Frank Crumit.

8.25-8.42 p.m. Marches.

Light of Foot (Latanne, arr. Hartmann).

with Sword and Lance (Starke).

Reg. Band of H. M. Grenadier Guards.

The Contemptibles (Stanley).

Steadfast and True (Telke).

Reg. Band of H. M. Grenadier Guards.

The Vanished Army (Alford).

Reg. Band of H. M. Grenadier Guards.

8.42-9.05 p.m.

Symphony No. 8 in B Minor ("Unfinished") (Schubert).

Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra directed by Leopold Stokowski.

1st Movement—Allegro moderato.

2nd Movement—Andante con moto.

9.05-11.30 p.m.

A relay of the Hongkong Hotel Orchestra from the Hongkong Hotel Grill Room by courtesy of the Management. (During the intervals recorded music will be broadcast from the Studio).

11.30 p.m. To-day's Opening 10 a.m. Stock and Commodity Quotations as received from New York by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz.

11.35 p.m. Close Down.

All records in the above European programmes are kindly loaned by a Listener.

SUNDAY'S PROGRAMME.

10-11 a.m. St. Joseph's Church Morning Service.

11-12.15 p.m. St. Paul's Church Morning Service.

12.15-2.30 p.m. Recorded Programme from Z.B.W.'s Library.

1 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

2.30 p.m. Close Down.

4.30-7 p.m. Chinese Recorded Programme.

7-10 p.m. European Programme.

7-7.30 p.m. Orchestral.

Carissima (Elgar).

New Symphony Orchestra conducted by Sir Edward Elgar.

Hansel and Gretel Overture (Humperdinck).

Symphony Orchestra conducted by Alfred Coates.

Mock Morris Dances (Grainger).

New Light Symphony Orchestra conducted by Dr. Malcolm Sargent.

Carmen—Soldiers Changing The Guard (Bizet).

Carmen—March of the Smugglers (Bizet).

Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra conducted by Leopold Stokowski.

7.30-8 p.m. From the Studio.

A Pianoforte Recital by Luba Shaftain.

Programme.

1. Impromptu (Chopin).
2. Mephisto Valse (Liazt).
3. Tango No. 2 (Albeniz).
4. Recorded Item—Violin Solo—French Dorf's Lied. (Popper). Gregory Pecker.
5. Tango—Aragonesa (Albeniz).
6. Golliwog's Cakewalk (Debussy).

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.3-9 p.m. A Concert.

Orchestral—Suite No. 2 in B Minor (Bach).

Chicago Symphony Orchestra conducted by Frederick Stock. D1073/4.

Song—Like as the Love-Lorn Turtle (Handel).

Doris Owens (Contralto).

Chorus—Nightingale Chorus ("Solomon") (Handel).

Choir and Orchestra of the Bach Cantata Club, London.

Pianoforte Solo—Chorale (Bach).

Pianoforte Solo—Impromptu in A Flat (Chopin).

Harold Bauer.

Song—Elegie (Massenet).

Song—Ich Grolle Nicht (Schumann).

John Brownlee (Baritone).

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Berlin	13.01½	13.13
Helsingfors	226½	226½
Oslo	19.90	19.90½
Athens	560	560
Milan	59	59.7/16
Buenos Aires	44½	44⅝
Shanghai	1/3⅝	1/3⅝
New York	4.83	4.84½
Amsterdam	7.70	7.70½
Vienna	20	23½
Prague	104⅝	105½
Madrid	37⅞	37.7/16
Bucharest	580	580
Hongkong	1/5⅛	1/5⅛
Brussels	22.27½	22.47½
Stockholm	10.40½	9.80½
Lisbon	103	103⅝
Bombay	1/6	1/6
Yokohama	1/2.7/16	1/2.7/16
Montevideo	37	36⅝
Montreal	4.84⅛	4.83⅛
Silver (spot)	18.9/16	18⅛
War Loan	18⅛	18.9/16
Silver (forward)	100⅝	100⅝

—British Wireless.



BAD NEWS FOR BOOTLEGGERS

NEW YORK LIQUOR OFFER

WINES AND WHISKIES AT LOW PRICES—

New York, Oct. 5.

Bad news for bootleggers appeared in the first full-page liquor advertisement since Prohibition went into effect. This appeared in the New York newspapers this morning. It announced the acceptance of mail orders "for delivery promptly if and when repeal comes," at the same time announcing that orders received after November 7 will be subject to an increase in price, but guaranteeing a refund if the prices are lower on the date of delivery.

The advertisement is of Park and Tilford, one of the large pre-Prohibition purveyors of imported beverages. It gives lists of case-lot prices of many celebrated brands of wines and liquors which are largely importations, although some of the best American whiskies, now held in bond here, are included.

For the first time for years Americans can read familiar names of the Prohibition era with prices which are generally well below the bootleggers' charges for questionable, or admittedly counterfeit, products.

UNLOADING STOCKS.

For instance, some of the best English and Scotch whiskies are offered at 40 dollars a case, including import duties and Federal taxes, while the best sparkling and still wines of French vintage are quoted far below the existing bootleg levels.

With the prospect of the "real stuff" being obtainable in a few weeks the bootleggers are generally slashing prices and trying to unload existing stocks, with little success.

While it is understood the existing levies may be raised, it will be impossible before Congress meets to change anything except import taxes, which might be increased under Executive decree.

It is believed, however, that no change of this nature is contemplated, since the domestic supply is so short of the probable demand that distillers will require little protection from foreign competitors, and the President is just as anxious as anybody else to see the bootleggers driven out of the business.



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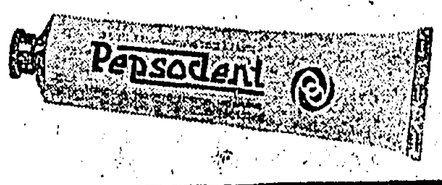
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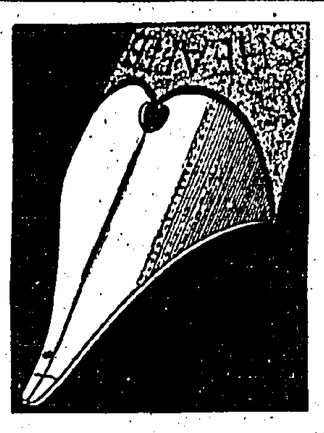
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The Earl of Athlone, regretting the falling birth-rate of Finchley, told a story of the Prince of Wales' tour in South Africa in 1925.

An old Dutch farmer was introduced to the Prince as the father of 13 children.

"That is an unlucky number; what are you going to do about it," said the Prince.

The old man replied, "That is easily put right."

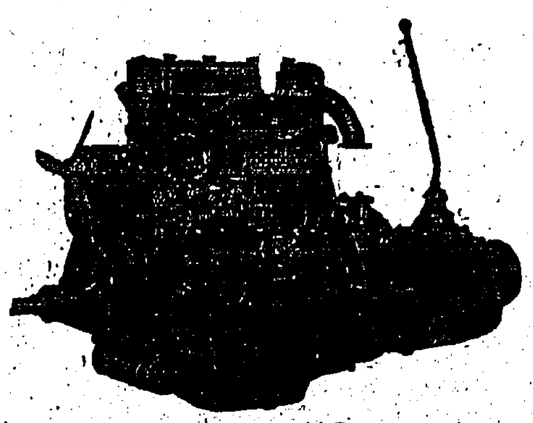
A year later, when in London, the Prince received a cablegram announcing the birth of the fourteenth child.

In a young borough such as Finchley, he added, there should be no difficulty in providing suitable houses consistent with the means of working men and their families.

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STRONG IN BOWLING: WEAK IN BATTING

SOCCER TEAM CHANGES THIS WEEK-END

MALAYA'S TEAM ANALYSED

HAMILTON THE KEY MAN

Some Interesting Personalities

BROTHER OF LAL SINGH PLAYING

(By R. Abbit).

On Board the Chitral.

AT the time of writing these lines I am still enjoying the hospitality of the P. and O., and any errors in style, good taste, or spelling may be put down to the fact that the ship is occasionally going "wop with a wiggle between"; and, though I have not yet fallen into the Soup-Tureen, concentration is difficult.

I regret I shall not be in Port in time to publish these notes as early as I should have wished. However, I shall have a day longer to enjoy the company of the very cheery members of Malay's side, some of whom joined us at Penang and some at Singapore. Two or three, I believe, have already reached the Colony after travelling up in the Neuralia.

Naturally the players are not very ready to talk about themselves, but from what I have gathered, it seems that they are not particularly worried about their bowling. Their fielding is also on the good side; and their weakness, if one exists, seems to lie in the batting, as they have not enough really good and steady bats to make sure that a collapse will not set in.

Old Faces and New

As far as I know, there are only two members of the side who have visited us before—D. C. Burn, who has been down three times for Shanghai, and R. G. Gibson (more popularly known as Gibbo) who came up for Malaya in Bobby Braddell's team.

They have included two very young men in the side, Alvis and Eu Chow-tiec. They have done excellent work during the last season and, even if they do not do so well in the Interport, they will be gaining valuable experience.

There is also an interesting figure in B. S. Gill, who is the elder brother of Lal Singh, who played against us before, and who was in the All India team in England in 1932.

It will, perhaps, be more convenient for my readers if I set down the side in tabulated form with notes on each player.

R. N. Hamilton (Captain) is in charge of the team and is one of the finest all-round cricketers Malaya has ever had. After a brilliant career at Winchester as a batsman, he played for Bucks in 1914, and, but for the War, would probably have played regularly for a first-class county later on.

He came to Malaya in 1919 and has since scored a great number of runs. Originally a brilliant cover, he became one of the best slips in the country, and has also kept wicket.

Swing and A Drag

Although he does not describe himself as a bowler, he has a most puzzling flight, for besides swinging late with the new ball, he manages to drag his delivery so that there is an appreciable "hang" in the air.

He has a good deal of responsibility as he is the one really class bat in the side. But if he comes off with the bat, spectators will have a very good time. He is, of course, somewhat handicapped by having a cousin in this Colony.

By the way, the phrase "Colony Match" hereinafter used means the big match between the F.M.S., and Singapore and Penang.

R. Abbit says;

Malaya are not particularly worried about their bowling. Their fielding is also on the good side; and their weakness, if one exists, seems to lie in their batting, as they have not enough really good and steady bats to make sure that a collapse will not set in.

The general feeling is that Hongkong's complaint is just the opposite. Anyhow if the teams play true to this reported form, the balance of favours appears to lean slightly towards Malaya.

V. Croome is the son of the late A.C.M. Croome. He kept wicket for Westminster and later for the Royal Air Force, taking Jerry Livock's place behind the sticks. He is definitely a class stumper and has made many big scores, although his batting has been rather patchy this last season.

W. O. Jonklaas is a fast medium right hand bowler who has played a great deal for Perak and the F.M.S. He is a fair field and a dangerous hitter.

D. C. Burn we know well. He is a useful field and an excellent bat.

Best Bowler in Years

C. A. Spledewinde of Perak is said to be their best slow left hand bowler of recent years. He has a beautiful action and seems to turn the ball both ways.

Eu Chow-tiec is a promising young batsman who played in the Colony match for the first time this year. He is an excellent field.

L. F. Alvis is another useful young cricketer who has made a couple of centuries this last season. A fair medium right hander, who likes the new ball, he may open the bowling with Willis. Otherwise he will probably be the Malayan cover-point.

G. L. F. Willis is the fast bowler—a new discovery—in Singapore. He hits hard, but is not, as far as I could see at the nets, a very sound bat. He fields well.

Leading Aircraftsman Morgan is a steady opening bat, but from what I have seen of him does not like slow twisters. He is a slow right hand leg breaker, and is making his debut in first class cricket.

B. S. Gill has played in the Colony match as a medium swing

(Continued on Page 9.)

RUGBY

CLUB'S GAMES TO-DAY

FIELDING TWO TEAMS

The following will represent the Hongkong Football Club First Rugby XV against the South Wales Borderers on the Club Ground at 4.15 p.m. to-day.—J. P. Whitham: J. J. Ferguson, W. H. B. Rigg, L. G. Robertson and G. P. Lammert: J. Hutchison and J. A. R. Selby: F. R. Burch, D. McLellan, S. H. Garrod, G. C. Moutrie, A. F. Walkden, D. C. Cumming, G. A. Stewart and R. O. F. King. Referee:—Lt. D. Lampen, R.N.

The above game will be preceded by a game between the Club "A" Rugby XV and The Navy. The Club Fifteen will be as follows: S. Strange: C. S. Archer, D. Hynes, R. H. Griffiths and W. Harris Walker: A. F. Jenkins and H. C. Meeke: W. R. Andrews, A. R. Cox, R. Cherrill, D. M. Wheeler, K. Noble, R. G. Castleton, L. de C. Blechynden, A. H. Harbord.—Referee:—Rev. P. R. Evans, R.N.

Kick off for the "A" fixture will be at 3 p.m.

SEASON'S FIXTURES.

Here are the complete rugby fixtures of the Hongkong Football Club for the current season.

DATE	OPPONENTS	GROUND
Oct. 21st.	The Navy.	Club.
,, 28th.	The Army.	Sookumpoo.
Nov. 4th.	South Wales Borderers.	Club.
,, 11th.	The Navy.	Club.
,, 18th.	The Army.	Sookumpoo.
,, 25th.	The Navy.	Club.
Dec. 2nd.	The Navy.	Club.
,, 9th.	The Army.	Sookumpoo.
,, 16th.	*THE ARMY.	Sookumpoo.
,, 23rd.	*THE NAVY.	Club.
Jan. 6th.	*THE ARMY.	Club.
,, 13th.	*THE NAVY.	Club.
,, 20th.	Combined Services.	Sookumpoo.
,, 27th.	The Navy.	Club.
Feb. 3rd.	Interport XV v. Rest of Colony.	Sookumpoo.
,, 15th.	INTERPORT v. SHANGHAI	Club.
,, 17th.	COMBINED SERVICES v. SHANGHAI	Club.
,, 23rd. or 24th.	COLONY v. AUSTRALIAN UNIVS.	Club.
Mar. 14th.	Seven-a-sides (1st Round)	Club.
,, 17th	SEVEN-A-SIDES (FINALS)	Club.

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TO-DAY'S RACES

CAPT. FOSTER'S SELECTIONS

FOR 8 EVENTS

The following are "Captain Foster's" selections for the 12th Extra Race Meeting at the Happy Valley this afternoon.

RACE 1.
Diana Bay
King's Justice
Hetman

RACE 2.
Night Star
City of Brisbane
Rosy Morn

RACE 3.
King's Bounty
The Tiger
Valorous

RACE 4.
Trentbridge
Charming Star
Mayflower

RACE 5.
Jingle
Iron Grey
Now's The Time

RACE 6.
Brechin
Mike
Gold Key

RACE 7.
Warrington
Vigilance
De Minimus

RACE 8.
Wembly Stag
Sticky Past
Helter Skelter

THE DOUBLE.

King's Bounty, The Tiger, Valorous and Flying Tourist for the first leg and Warrington and Vigilance for the second.

"RINGTAIL'S" TIPS

KING'S BOUNTY & VIGILANCE FOR "DAILY BOUBLE"

"Ringtail's" selections for this afternoon are as follows:

1st. RACE.
Diana Bay
King's Justice
Sadko

2nd. RACE.
Night Star
City of Brisbane
Rosy Morn

3rd. RACE.
King's Bounty
The Tiger
Valorous

4th. RACE.
Trentbridge
Cossack's Beauty
Charming Star

5th. RACE.
Paul Jones
Jingle
No Fear

6th. RACE.
Brechin
Mike
Gold Key

7th. RACE.
Vigilance
Warrington
De Minimis

8th. RACE.
Wembly Stag
Helter Skelter
Orlando

DOUBLE.
King's Bounty and Vigilance

CRICKET INTERPORT.

SEPECIAL REPORTS BY THE "TELEGRAPH".

The Triangular Cricket Interport between Hongkong, Malaya and Shanghai opens on Monday, when the local team oppose Malaya in the first match of the series.

The *Telegraph* has made arrangements to present its readers with the fullest reports possible. Latest scores and descriptions of the play will appear in both issues on Monday and the succeeding days; in addition to which R. Abbit will contribute exclusive reviews.

The matches will be reported from every angle, offering the public the most comprehensive analysis possible.

WEEK-END SPORTS

COMPLETE LIST OF FIXTURES

GOOD SELECTION FOR FANS

TO-DAY'S CHIEF EVENTS

The following is the complete sports programme for the week-end.

TO-DAY.

FOOTBALL.

FIRST DIVISION, K.O. 4.15.

R. A. v St. Joseph's—Sookunpoo
Kowloon v Recreio—Kowloon
Police v Navy—Caroline Hill

SECOND DIVISION, K.O. 2.45.

Lincolns v Navy—Chatham Road
Y. Indians v S.W.B.—St. Joseph's
R. A. v Athletic—Military, H. V.
S. China v Club—Caroline Hill

THIRD DIVISION.

S. China v University—Athletic, 2.45 p.m.
S.W.B. v Radio—Athletic, 4.15 p.m.
Lincolns v R. E.—Chatham Road, 4.15 p.m.
Recreio v R.A.F.—King's Park, 2.45 p.m.
R.A.S.C. v R.A.M.C.—Mily. H. V. 4.15 p.m.

CRICKET.

LEAGUE, DIV. 2.

Recreio v St. Joseph's

FRIENDLIES.

Navy v K.C.C.—Navy Ground
K.C.C. 2nd XI v Civil Service—K.C.C.
Malaya Interport team practice at H.K.C.C.

RACING.

Twelfth Extra Meeting of H. K. Jockey Club at Happy Valley, 2 p.m.

LAWN BOWLS.

Taikoo R. C. Closing Day, 3 p.m.

RUGBY.

Club "A" XV v Navy—Club 2.45 p.m.
Club v Navy—Club, 4.15 p.m.

YACHTING.

Royal Hongkong Yacht Club's Opening Cruise

HOCKEY.

FRIENDLIES.

H.K. Ladies v Recreio, Sookunpoo 3.30
H.K. Ladies v Central British School—H. V. 3.15

SUNDAY.

FOOTBALL.

First Division

Borderers v S. China—Sookunpoo, 4.15

LAWN BOWLS.

Craigengower Closing Day 2.30

HOCKEY.

MAMAK LEAGUE.

C.B.A. v German Club—King's Park 11 a.m.
H.K. Mule Corps v United H.C., Marina 4.15

LAWN TENNIS.

OPEN MIXED DOUBLES.
(Semi-Final)

M. W. Lo and Mrs. Litton v. Dr. R. E. Tottenham and Mrs. Lewis Bryan—C.R.C., 3 p.m.

LUCKY TO WIN

RADIO GIVEN A-FRIGHT

FINE HOCKEY BY ENGINEERS

The Radio Sports Club, Mamak champions, have only to thank Gurbachan Singh, their prolific goal scorer, for their victory over the Royal Engineers in the Mamak Hockey Tournament match played at Caroline Hill yesterday afternoon.

On their form, the Engineers, who put up a dazzling display, were unlucky to lose. Lester, their goalkeeper, stopped shot after shot from Awtar Singh and Gurbachan Singh, especially in the second half.

The strength of the Radio's forward line is confined to the inside trio, G. Singh, Awtar Singh and Kalwant Singh. The two wing men, F. A. Kemp, on the left, who arrived late in the first half yesterday, and Prem Singh on the right wing, were very weak. Prem Singh failed to keep well up the field and many snick passes from G. Singh went astray.

HARD WORKERS.

The Engineers had a hard working forward line. Harding and Pegg combining well. Cooper, on the left wing, was a constant offender against offside. The Radio full backs, P. Singh and Grewal had a busy time. Mullins, at centre-half worked hard, while the backs, Whitefield and Dushne gave fine support and alleviated much of Lester's work.

G. Singh scored the hat-trick for the Radio, while Harding and Pegg were responsible for the soldiers' goal.

Two S. China Players Suspended

SEQUEL TO MATCH WITH RADIO

Mok Sang and Wan Cho-lo, both members of South China's third division football team have been suspended by the Emergency Committee of the Football Association.

Mok Sang's term is until November 20, and Wan will take no further part in local football until November 13.

The suspensions are the sequel to the match between South China and the Radio Sports Club on October 21, when the two Chinese players were ordered off the field.

POINTS AWARDED.

The League Management Committee have awarded points to the following:

To the Royal Artillery in Division 2, South China having failed to turn out a team on October 7.

To the R.A.S.C., in Division 3, the University failing to make an appearance on October 7.

The match between the Borderers and St. Joseph's in the first division which was abandoned during the second half owing to rain on October 1, is to be re-arranged.

COMBINED SERVICES TEAM

TO MEET F. A. XI ON SATURDAY

The Combined Services team to meet the F.A. XI in the Armistice Day match at Sookunpoo next Saturday has been selected as follows:

Heath (Lincolns);
Allan (R.A.) and
Morrison (Borderers);
Purkins (Navy)
Cork (Lincolns) and
McQuire (Navy);
Snook (R.A.)
Smith (Navy)
Langmead (Navy)
Ridley (Lincolns) and
Hocquard (Lincolns).

The reserves will be: Harris (Borderers), Baldry (Lincolns), Podmore (Borderers), James (Navy), and Fairless (Navy).

Captain E. Hagque, R.A., will referee the match.

BIG GAMES AT SOOKUNPOO

BORDERERS AND S. CHINA

Artillery Entertain The Saints To-day

KOWLOON LUCK TO CHANGE?

(By "Veritas").

The Services football ground at Soonunpoo is going to be one of the most popular spots in the Colony during the week-end.

Two of the best matches of the first division programme are being staged there, starting with the Artillery and St. Joseph's this afternoon, and continuing with the Borderers and South China clash to-morrow.

You've got to hand it to these South China fellows—they're versatile. Take Pau Ka-ping, for instance. Pau has engraved his name on the hearts of the Red and White supporters with some flashy displays in the forward line. A real humdinger goal-scorer.

To-morrow he will obtain a somewhat different perspective of the game. He is to stand as the last line of defence between the Borderers forwards and goals. The goal-scorer becomes the goal-stopper. Rather whimsical when you come to think about it.

Nevertheless, Pau's appearance in goal is dependent on one thing. Ip Pak-wa was injured whilst in Nanking and there is just a possibility that he may not be fit to turn out on the left wing.

In that case Pau Ka-ping will be restored to the forward line, and Wong Wing will be called upon to return between the sticks.

But this isn't the only feature promised for to-morrow's encounter. South China try out their new centre-forward, Tay Quee-liang, who comes from Singapore with a reputation enjoyed by only a very few.

Most Powerful Yet

In fact, on paper at least, the Chinese are turning out what can be regarded as their most powerful team of the season to date.

The half back line reverts to its old form with Leung In-chan and Li Kwok-wai occupying the wing berths, and Leung Wing-chui, that master of the swinging pass, once again in the pivotal position.

This allows Wong Mee-shun to return to inside right, whilst the forward line is further strengthened by the inclusion of Ip Pak-wa on the left wing.

Maybe the fielding of such a side a side is a compliment to the Borderers; albeit I feel that it will turn out to be of the left-handed type.

But the Borderers also have team changes, one of which is forced on them, and the other apparently an effort to eliminate a weakness.

Mullane, being up in Shanghai, leaves a blank position which is not easy to fill. The soldiers hope to overcome the deficiency by putting in Sgt. Harris.

The Return of Fourtey

The intermediates remain the same, which is undoubtedly a good thing for the Borderers. But up forward we find Jones ("Hooker" when he's got the ball at his feet) given a rest and Fourtey reinstated at centre-forward.

Matthias is transferred to the right wing, Harris coming inside and Hazlewood occupies the inside left berth as partner to Duncan.

This does not strike one as a frightfully impressive line-up, and I think some inspiration will be necessary if this quintette is to break down that rock defence of the Chinese.

However, as one who is a faithful subscriber to the theory that the hard, fast type of football played by the Borderers is more likely to upset the precise movements of South China than say the plagiaristic tactics of St. Joseph's, I am quite prepared to see the soldiers put up a good display and hold thier opponents to an odd goal verdict.

This afternoon at Sookunpoo, the Royal Artillery, pride of the Services in the league last year, will endeavour to prove to their supporters and St. Joseph's that the Gunners' form up to the present has been far from true.

Dismal Record to Obliterate

The Artillery have a dismal record to obliterate, and although perhaps their chances of making a start in this direction are not exceptionally bright against St. Joseph's, yet I refuse to deny them.

They have made one change. Barraclough, former leader of the attack makes his exit, allowing Leach to take up this position, flanked by Smith on the right and Greenshields on the left. Snook and Seal occupy the wing positions.

The half back line and defence stands unaltered, and if Leach can possibly infuse that vim and determination into the attack, which has hitherto been so sadly lacking, there is no sound reason why the Artillery should not win.

And in claiming this I am not ignoring the qualities of St. Joseph's. But frankly I feel that the Saints are not quite such a good team as their league record suggests. They are, of course, capable of doing big things, but there is a tendency among the forwards to pay too much attention to foot craft, and too little to football.

It is expected that the team will be at full strength and this naturally will tend to increase their chances of winning.

With Leonard back in the forward line and Bernie Gosano on the wing the attack can be expected to show more life than was demonstrated last Sunday. But even with A. V. Gosano at left back I have my doubts about the Saints' defence. There is a definite half line weakness, exhibited in a slowness in recovery, and consequently additional burdens are placed on the last lines of defence.

Whether or not the Artillery can expose and exploit this weak link remains to be proved. But when all is said and done, the one vital fact remains, the Gunners have got to play very much better than they have up to the present.

The Inconsistent Navy

At Caroline Hill the Police and Navy meet. The Navy, probably the most inconsistent team in local football, should win. I hesitate to go any further than that. Last week they played delightful football against the Artillery. It needs only a repetition to assure them of two points this afternoon.

Kowloon the luckless entertain the Recreio, and if the Chatham Road team can't garner the maximum points from this encounter they will probably feel like throwing up the game.

A keen follower of Kowloon assures me that the team has only three requirements. An inside left who can shoot, an outside right who can centre, and a right half who can do the necessary to permit the forwards to play their part.

But having seen Kowloon for myself I do not think the weaknesses are quite so obvious as that. Kowloon are just a medium strength team without any glaring shortcomings or outstanding qualities.

They have had all the luck against them so far, but they need only to play a normal game to win this afternoon.

The Recreio are still lacking experience and are not well balanced. The team boasts several fine footballers, who, unfortunately do not receive adequate support.

MY FORECAST

FIRST DIVISION

To Win:—
S. China
Navy
Kowloon

To Draw:—
Artillery

SECOND DIVISION

To Win:—
Borderers
Athletic
S. China

To Draw:—
Lincolns

THIRD DIVISION

To Win:—
S. China
Borderers
Lincolns
R.A.F.

To Draw:—
R.A.S.C.

SOME OF THE TEAMS

Many Positional Alterations

Here are some of the teams who are expected to do duty this afternoon and to-morrow.

FIRST DIVISION.

R. Artillery:—Combey; Allan and Wroe; Harris, Pardoe and Rodgers; Snook, Smith, Leach, Greenshields and Seal. Reserve Wickens.

Borderers:—Smith; Sgt. Harris and Morrison; Wallace, Podmore and Underwood; Matthias, Harris, Fortey, Hazlewood and Duncan.

South China:—Pau Ka-ping; Lee Tin-sang and Lau Mau; Leung Yin-chan, Leung Wing-chui and Li Kwok-

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F.A. AND TRAINING SCHOOLBOYS

SCHEME TO BE CONSIDERED

GREAT BENEFITS WILL RESULT

The question of the coaching of boys having now become a prominent one, the Football Association has decided to appoint a Committee to consider the whole question and to submit a report. The Committee will shortly be selected and the names of the members will be made known.

The encouragement of young players in minor football outside the schools has already received consideration. In 1926 a scheme was drawn up whereby County Associations were allowed, under the guidance of the ruling body, to form Minor Associations to help young players and set up competitions. A grant of £50 is made each year to the County Associations for expenses incurred.

Attention will now be turned to schoolboys and, if the work of the Committee results in plans for teaching young players the rudiments of the game, the F. A.'s decision will be one of the most important made for years.

Sir Frederick Wall, Secretary of the Football Association, stated recently:

"We have had under consideration for some time what we should do to help young players. We realise the coaching work which has been, and still is, done by the masters of elementary schools. The position with regard to secondary schools is not known to us. In the public schools we know that many of the boys do not desire to play Association football. It is being discouraged. We view this as being very regrettable. It reacts upon the boys when they go out into the world and into the various Services. I know that in the Army, the Royal Navy, Royal Marines, and the Royal Air Force, the officers have little or no knowledge of the game, and therefore are not able to play with

HOME RUGBY RECORDS

PERFORMANCES OF SOME OF THE LEADING CLUBS

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Points For	Agst.
Abbey Road	8	1	0	1	48	81
Aberavon	8	5	0	3	104	84
Abertillery	8	4	1	3	60	52
Abingdon	4	3	0	1	44	20
Aston Old Edwardians	4	1	1	2	14	42
Bank of England	2	0	0	2	14	32
Barclays Bank	3	1	1	1	41	27
Barnet	2	2	1	0	20	10
Barnsley	3	2	0	1	56	44
Barnstaple	3	2	1	0	27	60
Bath	6	4	0	2	72	57
Batley	3	2	0	3	35	48
Beaupmont Old Boys	1	0	1	0	3	3
Beckenham	4	1	0	3	27	46
Bedford	6	5	0	1	118	56
Birkenhead Park	4	2	1	1	56	38
Blackheath	6	4	0	2	66	52
Bradford	5	3	0	2	75	93
Bridgend	6	4	0	2	91	39
Bridgwater	3	1	0	2	48	26
Brighton	5	3	0	2	57	57
Bristol	8	6	0	2	104	42
B.T.H., London	4	2	1	1	29	8
Broughton Park	5	3	0	2	25	92
Burton	3	3	0	0	71	6
Camborne	9	7	1	1	105	29
Camborne Sch. of Mines	3	1	0	2	37	50
Cardiff	5	13	0	2	38	14
Catford Bridge	5	0	0	5	41	80
Centymca	2	0	0	2	0	15
Chartered Bank of India	2	1	0	1	25	32
Chelmsford	3	3	0	0	76	22
Chiltern	2	1	1	0	29	27
Chingford	3	3	0	0	65	6
Clifton	4	2	1	1	39	49
Colchester	3	1	1	1	25	26
Coventry	7	6	1	1	109	31
Cross Keys	7	7	0	0	98	21
Cuneo	2	1	0	1	33	34
Devonport Services	5	1	1	3	26	91
Dover	3	2	0	0	22	9
Durham	4	3	0	1	51	23
Ealing	2	2	0	0	30	13
Eastbourne	1	1	0	0	8	3
Esher	3	2	0	0	31	3
Exeter	7	4	0	3	49	104
Exiles	3	1	0	2	24	34
Exmouth	4	3	0	1	53	53
Faversham and Sittingbourne	1	0	0	1	3	35
Finchley	3	3	0	0	66	16
Fylde	5	5	0	0	116	40
Gateshead Fell	4	2	0	2	51	56
Gloucester	5	5	0	0	71	9
Grays	3	3	0	0	45	16
Guernsey	3	1	0	2	18	20
Guy's Hospital	4	3	0	1	35	34
H.A.C.	3	2	0	1	48	30
Halifax	6	4	0	2	102	67
Harlequins	5	3	0	0	60	17
Harrogate	2	1	0	1	32	32
Harrow	2	2	0	0	34	11
Hartlepool Rovers	4	2	0	2	55	49
Headingley	6	4	0	2	100	55
Honor Oak Park	3	2	0	1	44	29
Hull and East Riding	3	1	0	2	46	60
Ilfe	2	1	0	1	19	28
Keighleians	4	4	0	0	81	17
King's College Hospital	4	2	0	2	46	57
K.C.S. Old Boys	3	3	0	0	47	18
Kingston	2	2	0	0	31	0
Leicester	6	4	1	1	108	40
Leytonstone	3	2	0	1	54	10
Liverpool	2	0	0	2	5	54
Llanelly	7	7	0	0	95	28
Lloyds' Bank	4	4	0	0	134	18
L.C.C.	2	2	0	0	40	18
London Hospital	2	1	0	1	11	13
London Irish	2	1	0	1	11	17
London Rifle Brigade	2	1	0	1	30	7
London Scottish	3	1	0	2	28	35
London Welsh	4	3	0	1	34	32
Lydney	5	2	0	3	75	29
Lyons	2	1	0	1	46	19
Maidstone	2	0	0	2	14	23
Manchester	4	1	0	3	63	64
Metropolitan Police	3	3	0	0	61	14
M'd Herts	2	1	0	1	17	19
Midland Bank	4	3	1	0	37	14
Morley	3	3	0	0	105	23
Moseley	4	3	0	1	95	33
National Provincial Bk.	3	1	0	2	12	33
Neath	7	4	0	3	90	46
Newbury	3	1	0	2	32	39
Newport	6	3	0	3	34	66
Northampton	6	4	1	1	80	58
Northern	4	4	0	0	57	0
Nottingham	2	0	0	2	10	91
Nuneaton	3	3	0	0	38	17
Old Albanians	3	3	0	0	38	17
Old Alleynians	3	0	0	3	31	45
Old Anchorians	2	1	0	1	14	21
Old Bancroftians	3	1	0	2	32	42
Old Birkonians	3	3	0	0	61	15
Old Blues	4	2	0	2	30	65
Old Caterhamians	2	2	0	1	25	45
Old Croydonians	3	0	1	2	10	22
Old Daverians	2	1	0	1	28	19
Old Dartfordians	2	1	0	1	28	9
Old Dunstonians	3	3	0	0	45	17
Old Erithians	3	3	0	0	41	0
Old Edwardians	3	1	0	2	20	50
Old Fullerians	3	3	0	0	75	3
Old Haberdashers	3	3	0	0	47	13
Old Hatleyburians	3	3	0	0	39	35
Old Leysians	3	1	0	2	11	39
Old Masonians	5	1	0	3	18	30
Old Merchant Taylors	3	2	0	1	46	19
Old Mid-Whitgiftians	3	3	0	0	6	17
Old Millhillians	3	1	1	0	20	14
Old Paulines	3	2	0	1	41	36
Old Reddigensians	3	1	1	0	34	6
Old Reigatians	3	2	0	1	29	17
Old Tauntonians	1	1	0	0	30	19
Old Tiffinians	3	3	0	0	33	0
Old Whitgiftians	3	1	1	0	28	18
Orpington	3	0	0	3	19	48
Otley	3	3	0	1	97	38
Oxford Exiles	3	2	0	1	44	28
Penarth	4	3	0	1	40	19
Plymouth Albion	6	1	0	5	33	81
Polytechnic	3	1	0	2	31	36
Pontypool	4	3	0	1	50	22
Redruth	3	3	1	2	36	47
Richmond	3	1	0	2	31	26
Rolenians	4	3	0	1	50	24
Roslyn Park	4	1	0	3	24	41
Rugby	5	3	0	2	45	53
St. Bartholomew's Hos.	2	1	0	1	10	14
St. Mary's Hospital	3	2	0	1	41	5
St. Thomas's Hospital	2	1	0	1	19	18
Sale	5	0	0	5	25	78
Saracens	4	4	0	0	78	22
Seghill	4	1	0	3	49	54
Sidmouth	3	3	0	0	93	33
Southend	3	1	0	1	14	10
Southern Railway	4	1	1	2	26	47
Staines	1	1	0	0	20	5
Streatham	4	1	1	2	19	41
Stroud	3	3	0	1	121	45
Sutton	3	3	0	0	0	35
Swansea	3	3	0	0	87	35
Tamworth	3	1	0	1	21	11
Taunton	4	3	0	0	48	34
Teignmouth	5	1	0	4	31	53
Thames Valley	4	4	0	0	66	24
Thanet Wanderers	2	1	0	1	12	18
Tonbridge	3	0	0	3	3	24
Torquay	3	3	0	0	90	37
Trojans	3	2	0	1	54	36
United Services	4	1	0	3	27	50
U.C.S. Old Boys	2	1	0	1	30	23
Upper Clapton	5	3	0	2	32	46
Wakefield	3	0	0	3	14	93
Wanns	3	3	0	0	40	12
Waterloo	3	2	0	1	38	16
Westcombe Park	3	2	0	1	20	25
Wellington	5	4	0	1	32	30
West Herts	1	0	0	1	3	11
Westminster Bank	3	3	0	0	50	13
Weston-super-Mare	3	2	1	5	68	70
Weymouth	2	1	0	1	19	8
Windsor	2	1	1	0	17	13
Woodford	4	3	0	1	119	13
Worcester	2	0	0	2	17	24
Zurich Insurance	3	3	0	0	54	24

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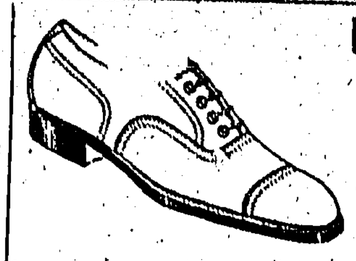
WEEK-END GAMES

Tournament Hockey Matches

To-morrow the Hongkong Mule Corps will meet the United Hockey Club on the Marina ground at 4.15 p.m. in a Mamak Tournament match. The umpires will be L/C Mullins (R.E.) and Mr. J. S. Grewal (Radio).

On Monday, the Royal Corps of Signals will play the 12th Battery R. A. on the Marina ground at 4.15 p.m. when Messrs. P. J. Naidu and A. Khan will be in charge of the game.

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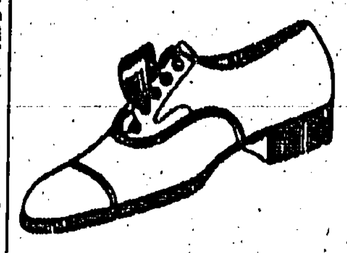


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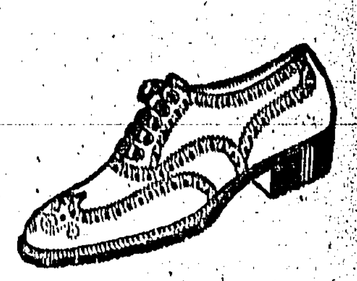


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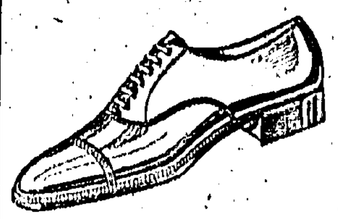


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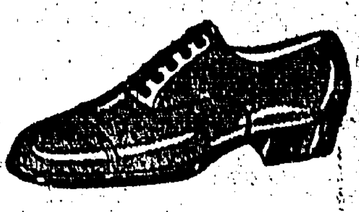


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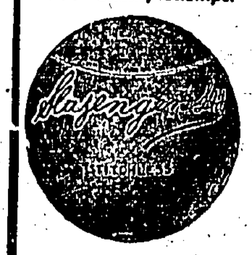
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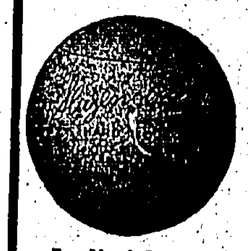


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"Midnight Mary," powerful crook drama, brings a strong cast headed by Loretta Young, Ricardo Cortez, Franchot Tone, Andy Devine and Una Merkel into one Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer production to be shown as the next attraction at the Queen's Theatre.

It is a thrilling story of life in the upper strata of crookdom. Loretta Young is forced by circumstances to join a gang of crooks. Events move at lightning speed as the gang gets more ambitious in their operations. Miss Young falls in love with Tone, a successful young attorney. When the gangster leader decides to kill Tone the dramatic tension mounts to a terrific tempo.

In the supporting cast are Frank Conroy, Warren Hymer, Ivan Simpson, Harold Huber, Sandy Roth, Martha Sleeper, Charles Grapewin, Halliwell Hobbes and Robert Emmett O'Connor.

Comedy highlights are provided by Una Merkel in a hilarious drinking scene and through action in which she "kids" the gangsters. Andy Devine as a wealthy playboy gets into one scrape after another until he finally meets a tragic death. Loretta Young and Franchot Tone have several light love scenes when they are trying to get acquainted in his office.

William Wellman, veteran of such successes as "Wings," "Public Enemy," "The Conquerors" and recently "Bread Line," directed from an orginal by Anita Loos.

"Sweepings"

The tragedy of having too much money and of an enterprise that becomes too large for its heirs to manage, is graphically and dramatically told in KRO-Radio Pictures "Sweepings", coming on Sunday to the King's Theatre, with Lionel Barrymore in the starring role.

The film is elaborately staged, whirling its auditors through several decades of American history, each era representated in its proper settings, costumes and social life.

In support of Barrymore are Alan Dinehart, Ninetta Sunderland, Gregory Ratoff, William Gargan, Gloria Stuart, George Meeker, Eric Linden, Lucien Littlefield and many other prominent players. John Cromwell directed.

"The Past of Mary Holmes"

Your emotions get a terrific battering from many intensely dramatic angles in "The Past of Mary Holmes" now playing at the Central Theatre.

Here is a drama bound to give your heart a twist. It analyzes the strange temperament and reveals the torn soul of a woman who has fallen from fame and glory—a woman who nourishes a hatred for her son and then finds, when her testimony has acquitted him of murder, that she loves him.

Mary Holmes, known in the town as the Goose Woman, drinks and drinks to forget that she has lost her brilliant voice and no longer is the famous opera star whom royalty toasted and the world lauded.

Retired to an old shack in a Jersey suburb she is sunk in dirt and squalor, living in dilapidated old house with her dog, her geese and her gin.

Eric Linden and Helen MacKellar share acting honours, young Linden giving a poignant performance as the son, and Miss MacKellar performing marvels as the Goose Woman, first an ugly slattern and then a gorgeous beauty. This is her first screen appearance after many years of saying "No" to offers. It is hoped that it will not be her last.

Supporting the cast are, Jean Arthur, "Skeets" Gallagher, Ivan Simpson, Clay Clement and J. Carrol Naish.

"Hook, Line and Sinker."

Of course it's funny—"Hook, Line and Sinker", which will be seen at the Oriental Theatre on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

It goes without saying, with such a battery of professional fun-makers contributing to the story's hilarious success! In the starring roles are Bert Wheeler and Robert Woolsey, who can point to many postive "hits" since they entered the talkie field.

In the leading feminine role is Dorothy Lee, who combines charm, rare beauty with a boydenish comedy flair. Jubyna Howland, with a comedy history of more than twenty years, inspires bursts of laughter whenever she appears on the screen. She is six-foot-three in her French heels.

And last but not least, Tim Whelan, is responsible for the story "Hook, Line and Sinker," Ralph Spence, one of the best known "wise-crackers" and dialogue specialists in films, collaborated with Whelan on the lines; and Eddie Cline, a graduate of the Mack Sennett sure-fire comedy school, directed the picture.

"Bondage"

"Say it with action whenever possible", is Alfred Santell's theory in directing motion pictures and he follows it by taking full advantage of the camera's extreme mobility.

For example, in an early scene of "Bondage", the current Fox success at the King's Theatre, featuring Dorothy Jordan, Alexander Kirkland and Merle Tottenham, Santell used a moving camera to make explanations which under ordinary methods would have required many lines of dialogue, a printed insert, and several photographic setups.

The scene is one showing an ambulance dashing up to a girl's boarding home, doctors emerging, entering the place and removing a sick girl. Santell covered all of this action without a break and in one setup, by using a camera attached to a mobile steel crane.

Mounted outside the building, the camera picked up the arrival of the speeding ambulance. Then as Kirkland, who plays a physician, entered the boarding home, it moved forward and upward so that the lens focused for a moment on the sign above the door. Continuing its upward and forward progress, it swept right through the window of the second floor room where the sick girl lay, and photographed the action which continued there.

Thus the identity of the building and the girls inside was established without a break in the action or a word of spoken explanation.

"Fra Diavolo."

Laurel and Hardy, make their latest appearance in a feature length comedy in "Fra Diavolo", a story of a pair of rollicking bandits, based on Auber's famous comic opera.

The picture is reported to be the most ambitious yet undertaken by the noted laugh pair of "Pardon Us" and "Pick Up Your Troubles", its cast including such outstanding names as Dennis King, the noted singer and stage star, and Thelma Todd, who has contributed to the humour of a long list of screen productions.

Also involved in the hilarious incidents of the latest Laurel and Hardy opus are James Finlayson, Lucille Brown, Arthur Pierson, Henry Armetta, Matt McHugh, Lane Chandler, Nena Quartero, Wilfred Lucas, James C. Morton and Carl Harbaugh. The screen adaptation of the comic opera was made by Jeanie MacPherson and the picture was produced and directed by Hal Roach with Charles Rogers assisting.

The story of the two friends who turn bandits in retaliation for being robbed of their life savings just when they meant to retire is reported to be permeated with humour from its very opening reel to finish. For instance, Hardy is sentenced to be hanged. Laurel is given the hangman's assignment.

Laurel and Hardy flirt with a couple of milkmaids. Laurel waves a red handkerchief. A bull gets the waving invitation and charges.

During a seemingly dull moment, Laurel becomes restless. He begins fumbling with his hands. He originates what is called the "kneesy, earsy, nosey" game, and soon the entire household, including the soldiers are fumbling all over themselves in order to master the simple process of mingling knees, ears and nose together.

SIAM SECURITIES

POSITION SOUND IN SPITE OF LOSSES

London, Nov. 3.

Commenting upon the fall of Siamese securities, which has averaged about five points since the rebellion broke out, the *Times* is able emphatically to contradict the rumours of an impending financial crash in the Far East state.

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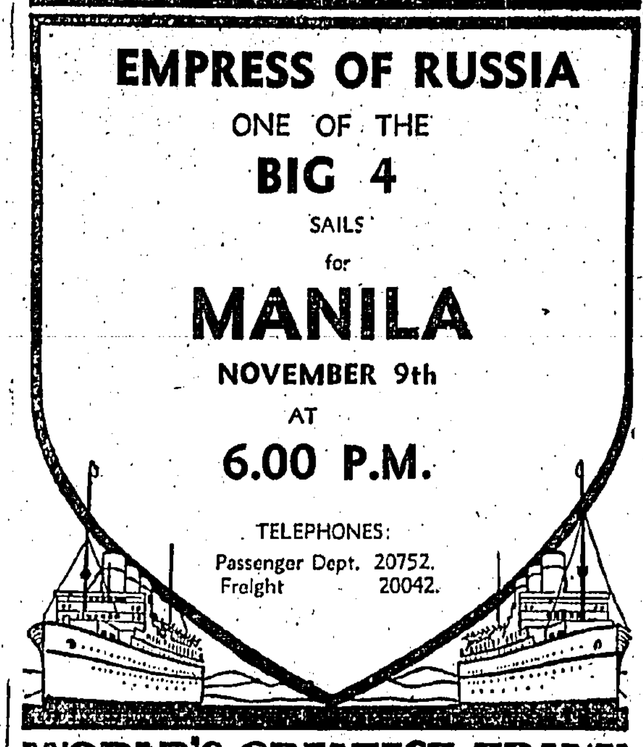
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By W. E. McKenney

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North. ♠ A K 5 ♥ Q 5 ♦ A 8 7 6 5 3 ♣ Q 5
East. ♠ Q J 10 9 6 ♥ 10 9 4 2 ♦ None ♣ 10 8 7 2
South: ♠ 7 ♥ A J 8 7 6 ♦ Q 10 ♣ A K J 6 4
West. ♠ 8 4 3 2 ♥ K 3 ♦ K J 9 4 2 ♣ 9 3

Solution in next issue. 10

Solution to Previous Contract Problem

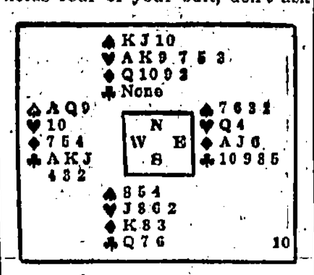
While it generally pays for the bidding to proceed along sound constructive lines, there are times when one partner or the other must take off the strain. This is especially true after a negative double and you have located certain definite cards in your partner's hand.

South passed; West opened the contracting with one club; North made a negative double; East passed.

Now, it is true that South's hand is exceptionally weak, but his partner has made a double, asking for definite information. He especially wants to know if your hand contains a four-card major suit, so South's proper response with this holding is one heart. When West passes, North should not bid two or three hearts, but should immediately jump the contract to four hearts, thereby taking off the strain.

Remember that West has made the opening bid, and therefore it looks as though you cannot lose over one spade trick, and even though partner has nothing in diamonds, there is a good chance that he may lose only two diamond tricks.

Here we would find Declarer making game with a hand containing nothing more than four hearts. So when you hold this much strength and you receive the information that your partner holds four of your suit, don't ask



him to rebid poor cards twice; step into the bidding yourself with a jump to game.

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Cyprus, Nov. 3.

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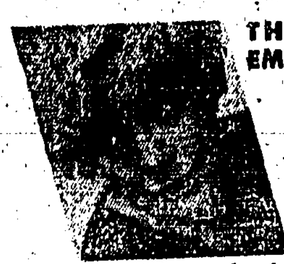
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BOOKLET NASTY PILL FOR AMERICA

Owing to faulty management, Soviet Russian propaganda has been guilty of a somewhat painful error, according to "Deutsche Allegemeine Zeitung" which reports that two days after the publication of the letters exchanged between American President Roosevelt and Chairman of the Central Executive Committee of the U.S.S.R., M. Kalinin, the central publishing company of the Soviet-Russian Communist Party issued a booklet entitled "Roosevelt's Starvation Programme."

The booklet, which simultaneously was published in five leading languages, sharply criticises the American President's economic programme and states that "the growing wave of dissatisfaction in the United States should be utilized for intensifying the struggle of the American proletariat." The pamphlet arrives at the conclusion that the prospects for a revolutionary movement in the United States have never been so favourable as now.

Mr. W. Schofield, First Police Magistrate, is proceeding on Home leave to-day. During his absence the Bench at the Central Magistracy will be occupied by Mr. E. W. Hamilton, who returned from leave yesterday.

His Excellency the Governor has reappointed The Rev. Denn Swann, M.A., D.S.C., to be a member of the Board of Education for a further period of two years.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to nominate Mr. Chan Lim Pak as a member of the Court of the University of Hongkong for a period of three years.

PRISON OF WAR

BISHOP HALL'S PEACE PLEA

Bishop Hall makes a stirring appeal for peace in his monthly letter to the St. Andrew's Church Magazine.

The Bishop writes:

On November 11th, 1918 we were let out of prison. In this November, 1933 shades of the prison house begin to close about our weary world. Is life going to prove a nightmare after all? In the last 15 years we have not, as we thought, been awake. We have been dreaming. Man's power to rebel against the will of God is so real that we cannot hope to escape from war.

Can that be so? Must we face that terrible reality? Must the children we love go through what we went through, and *not come through?* Perhaps it is better that they should not come through. They at least will be saved losing *their* children.

There is a story told of Mr. Lloyd George's intervention in a discussion on munitions. He said: "Gentlemen, while we argue our sons die." Let us say to one another with equal realism, every day we let the world drift into war again, *"We are signing the death warrants of our own children."*

It may be we can do no other. At least let us realise what we are doing.

BE BROTHERLY v. BE HONEST.

What can we do to stop the drift? If the anchor is to hold, it must reach the bottom. What is at the bottom? What made 1914? What made Woosung and Manchuria?

For 15 years Christian preachers have been saying, *"Be brotherly."* That has proved a smoke screen of the devil's own making. It has hidden the *economic* causes of war.

I am going to dare to give you another text. It is *"Be honest."*

Answer for yourself these two questions:

(1) On what is *my* financial security based?

(2) Does that system allow a proportionate increase in real purchasing power to the wage earning section of the community; so that they can use their share of our increased production?

SEQUEL TO GREAT WORLD MURDER

POLICE ARREST MEMBER OF GANG

Shanghai, Oct. 31.

One of the Chinese alleged to belong to the gang which killed Dang Kia-bang, manager of the Great World, last June has been arrested by the French police.

The late Mr. Dang was shot by a gang of four men as he left the Great World but he had the strength to enter his motor car and instruct his chauffeur to proceed to Paulun Hospital but he died en route.

The French police learned that after the shooting the four men left Shanghai on the following day but a few days ago detectives discovered that one of them, apparently believing that the hue and cry had died down, returned to Shanghai. Following up inquiries, they discovered he frequented a house in Haiphong Road in the International Settlement. A watch was instituted with the co-operation of the Municipal police and the man, named Tsang Ding-koue, was arrested.

Investigations are proceeding to bring the other three men to book.

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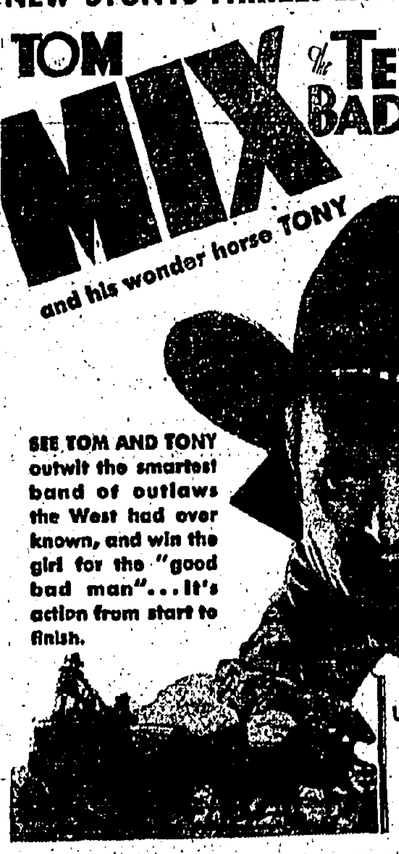
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SECRET BUYING

GOLD PURCHASES TO BEGIN IN AMERICA

New York, Nov. 3.

The United States is already purchasing gold abroad, according to Washington correspondents.

Newspaper despatches from New York state that the Federal Reserve Bank secretly bought small amounts in London and Paris yesterday.—*Reuter.*

London, Nov. 3.

There is still no sign of American purchases of gold, but £200,000 worth was offered to-day and it is believed that it was taken by Continent buyers.

The price of gold is 133 shillings 2 pence, based on the franc value of 79.50, which is a premium of 11 pence halfpenny.

The American dollar to-day is $4.84⅝.

London Opinion.

The City Editor of the *Times* says that neither London or Paris believes that the United States could buy gold on a large scale in the world market, since few would be disposed to exchange appreciating gold francs for depreciating paper dollars.

He further points out that the Bank of France could easily release sufficient gold to cancel any franc credits offered by foreign holders.

The United States' press suggestion that America is in co-operation with the Bank of England is not regarded seriously.—*Reuter.*

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